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All's Not Fun or Joy On Bunny's Hop Here

By NORMAND POIRIER, Mercury Staff Writer

That kangaroo-like rabbit who hops around the country dropping jelly beans and golden eggs of joy sure reached into the wrong pouch a couple of times when he bounded over Pottstown yesterday.

He brought tears to several youngsters' eyes; indigestion to one man; headaches to one woman; hospitalization to still another area man.

Take the case of 6-year-old Charles Kirby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirby, Perkiomenville RD 1.

Little Charlie was looking forward eagerly to his new Easter outfit. His mother and aunt went shopping for it Saturday.

While waiting for the bus in front of Smith's book store on High street, they placed the new outfit—a tan sport coat, brown trousers and a white shirt—on the ledge in front of the book store.

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ACCIDENTALLY, they left the parcel on the shelf and walked away. They realized the loss in two minutes, but when they went back the box was gone.

Little Charles didn't say much on Easter morning when his four-year-old brother, Barry, and two-year-old sister, Cheryl, got decked out for the walk to church.

"But the disappointment was so clear in his face we almost cried," Mrs. Charles Kirby, his mother, said last night.

Charlie's Easter was spoiled, even though he did get eggs, but maybe he wouldn't feel so bad if whoever found it would call the Kirby's at Pottstown 526-R-2.

Then there was a case in Pottstown, where the Magic Rabbit dropped another of those uncolored eggs.

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FOR ONE area man, all the talk of hams, turkeys, chickens, colored eggs, and candies—all the advertisements and store signs and radio commercials were just too much. He blew the works!

This culprit's Easter went something like this.

He awoke and shaved himself neat with a new electric shaver. Then he smoked a fine cigar.

Before sampling any of the five pounds of meat he had spread out before him on his banquet table, he ate of a salad prepared with three gallons of olive oil.

For horsd'oeuvres, he nibbled at two dozen deviled eggs, while drinking in the beauty of another dozen colored ones.

For beverage, he drank from a pot made from a dozen bottles of instant coffee.

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FOR HIS entree, he attacked the five pounds of meat. Then he capped it off with a cigaret from his two new cartons, and for the piece de resistance puffed on another cigar from his new box of 50.

The man is deeply indebted to the store at Berks and Walnut street owned by Anthony Confino for the brilliant repast—AND the

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EASTER-TIDE PASSES FROM LOCAL SCENE

Pottstonians Enjoy Daytime Promenade Showing Off Season's Apparel

SUNNY SKY ADDS ZEST TO HOLIDAY'S FESTIVITIES

Like the faded daffodil and the fallen lily, Easter is gone. It came to Pottstown in the misty, dewy early morning and left in a chilly evening.

It turned out to be a day almost like the Biblical First Easter morning, with the sun cutting a bright arc through speckled sky and the raw wind licking at new Easter garments.

With bright clothing, with praises to God, with the gathering of families at festive Easter dinners and with gifts the borough welcomed and then bade good-bye to the fleeting day like a quick visit with an old friend.

Now it will be remembered. Cherished like a pressed leaf in an old book.

In the morning Pottstonians showed off their newest and most fashionable wearing apparel. They crowded churches to sing "He Is Risen" and then marched in the Easter parade on High and on Hanover streets.

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IT WAS WARM in the sun, but it was a day which will bring many Spring colds.

Pedestrians eager to show their brightest purchases knew before they walked many blocks it was not the Fourth of July.

The wind bent around corners and invaded crevices like the damp discharge from a cold storage plant. Spring officially arrived on March 20, but there are many who would have debated the invasion of the new

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Easter Bunny Pays Visit

—Mercury Staff Photo

Patricia Mary Maute (left in picture at the left) and her sister Pamela Ann munch on some of the loot they found in Memorial park Saturday morning at the borough Easter egg hunt. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Maute, Pottstown RD 4. In the other photo, Patty Ann Petroi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Petroi, 509 Walnut street, proudly accepts a prize from the Easter bunny. Underneath the massive costume is John B. Hartenstine Jr., 251 Maplewood drive.

Mystery Shrouds Highway Accident

State police, the Good Will ambulance and hundreds of spectators were baffled Saturday morning when they could not find any sign of occupants of a badly battered car which landed upside down in a water filled ditch in Limerick.

The car evidently plunged off Route 422 out of control. It left the highway about 3½ miles west of Trappe, near Upper Lewis road.

William Tosto, Good Will ambulance driver arrived at the accident scene only minutes after it happened at 2:30 o'clock. He could find no "victims."

Jeffersonville State police at the site could find no trace of the occupants either. They crawled about the battered four-door sedan and wondered how anyone could get out of the wreckage alive.

Some bystanders who said they saw the accident reported two persons walked away. Others said they saw people dragging bodies from the smashed car.

Checks of hospitals in the borough, Phoenixville, Norristown, and Reading, revealed nobody had called for treatment after the accident.

Through an investigation conducted by Jeffersonville State Trooper Charles Hicklin, it was discovered that three occupants of the car were treated for injuries by a Spring City physician.

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ALL THREE were residents of Spring City. They were Robert L. Collopy, 24, of 111½ Main street; Daniel Mostelier, 22, Brown street; and Patricia Rogers, 20, Main street.

All three suffered only minor cuts and bruises and shock.

Employes of the Limerick garage pulled the sedan out of the ditch Saturday morning. The top of the car was so badly pancaked there was barely room for a man to sit at the driver's seat.

The accident happened at a slight bend in the highway. Trooper Hicklin said Collopy, the driver, had apparently dozed off and lost control of the vehicle.

He said they were picked up by another motorist immediately after the accident and taken to the Spring City phyiscian for treatment.

The late model sedan was badly smashed on the top and both sides. Damage was estimated at more than $1100.

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FENDERS DENTED IN 3 ACCIDENTS OVER WEEKEND

Six Cars Are Damaged As Collisions Occur On Town Streets

Easter weekend meant new wrinkles in fender fashions for several Pottstown car owners this year.

Damage was reported to six cars as a result of minor accidents. At 10:15 a. m. Saturday, a truck operated by Edward Brooker, 236 Mintzer street, was involved in a minor collision with a car driven by Jacob Borneman, Pennypacker School road, Trappe.

The accident happened on High street near Charlotte street. Brooker's truck hit the Borneman car and damaged the right side. The left front fender and headlight of the truck were damaged.

Just before noon on Saturday, cars operated by Sue E. Decker, 217 North Keim street and William Dawson, Road B, Hilldale, were involved in another accident.

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ACCORDING to police, the Dawson car ran into the rear of the Decker car at High and Madison streets at 11:50 a. m. The Decker vehicle's trunk and rear bumper was damaged.

In still another minor accident on Saturday, cars driven by Nicholas Hornack, Pottstown RD 1, and Woodrow West, 2106 Spring Garden street, Philadelphia, collided at High and Hanover streets.

The accident occurred at 6:45 p. m. and front fenders on both cars were damaged. No one was injured in any of the three accidents, police said.

Stubborn Door Balks Burglary Try at High Street Office

Thieves tried to break into the Girard Investment company office, 268 High street, sometime Saturday but failed to get by a stubborn office door.

Harold Giles, manager of the office, told police that he left the office at 9:15 o'clock Saturday morning and that the office was locked when he left.

When he returned at 10:15 p. m., the door was partly open. He opened it the rest of the way with his key and found that nothing was missing.

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OFFICER WILLIAM MARS, who investigated, said the door had been forced, probably by kicking it, since there were no pry marks on the door frame.

The inside moulding on the door frame and the lock chain had been forced open, Mars said.

Kiddies Caper Over Island to Track Eggs Laid by Benevolent Bunny

More than 2500 children scampered over the island at Memorial park Saturday morning in the seventh annual borough Easter egg hunt.

The boys and girls searched in the grass, under boards and paper, around the pavilion and everywhere in the hunt area.

Presiding over the festivities was John B. Hartenstine Jr., dressed in an Easter bunny costume. Prizes were awarded to children in three age groups.

The tot group was from age 4 and under; the junior group was for ages 5 to 7; and the senior group was from 8 to 10.

First prize winners were awarded stuffed animals. Specially marked prize eggs won them the awards.

Patty Ann Petroi, 509 Walnut street, was the four-year-older who won in the tot division. David Miller, Fourth street, won in the junior competition.

Mary Ellen Krantz, 6 West Fourth street, took first prize among the seniors.

Second prize winners in the tot division who won chocolate ducks and rabbits were Gary Lee Spohn, 858 Logan street; Sheila Laury, 478 Spruce street; Linda Dierolf, Pottstown RD 3, and Mary Elaine Eppler, 217 Water street.

Junior class second prize winners were Teddy Whisler, 414 Beech street; Robert Dennis, Road A, Hilldale; Danny Mosheim, 320 York street, and Jimmy Miller, Pottstown RD 3.

In the senior division, second prize winners were Tony Pace, 14 East Seventh street; Barry Pollock, 32 East Second street; Marcia Hewitt, 807 North Evans street, and Thomas Boyer, 31 East Fifth street.

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IN EACH CATEGORY, 32 third prizes were awarded. The winners received small chocolate Easter eggs.

In the two-hour hunt, 4500 candy eggs were scooped up by the eager children.

Sponsoring the hunt were the Pottstown Recreation commission and the Kiwanis club.

Robert A. Reis, recreation director, and Kenneth Tyson, chairman of the boys and girls committee of the Kiwanis club, were co-chairmen for the annual affair.

Hope Is Glimmering For Final End to Russia's Cold War

LONDON, April 5 (AP)—Western Europe watched with bewilderment today the apparent somersaults in Soviet domestic and foreign policy. There were signs of hope that the long Winter of the cold war was nearing an end.

Neither foreign office officials nor men in the street knew definitely the complex motives behind the Kremlin's conciliatory moves. But this half formed theory gained ground: Stalin's death may have removed the immediate threat of an east-west conflict.

Voice was given also to dozens of other theories ranging from the rosiest optimism to the darkest pessimism. Unquestionably the atmosphere on this side of the Atlantic has changed. East-West relations seem to have taken on a more civilized tone.

However, for every expression of hope there were warnings from public men and newspapers telling the people of the West to keep alert and not lower their guard.

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ON THIS happier Easter, Lord Beaverbrook's Sunday Express summed it up with this quotation from Alice "Through The Looking Glass."

"Why, sometimes I've believed as many as six impossible things before breakfast."

The same newspaper said editorially:

"A revolution has taken place in Russia since Stalin's death, a revolution in policy.

"The aggressive actions, the cold rejection of Western overtures for a peaceful understanding, the bitter threats that marked Russia's foreign policy have been replaced by soft

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2 PATROLMEN TO BE NAMED

Police Committee to Pick Replacements for Force Today

Two patrolmen will be named to the Pottstown police force tonight.

Police committee expects to elect Sandy A. Laghi, 404 Cherry street, and Daniel W. Kegel, 24 West Fifth street, Boyertown, to the posts vacated by Patrolmen Michael Fern and Frank J. Hall.

Three men have passed civil service and physical examinations and been cleared by the FBI for the jobs.

Edward Koslowski, 114 South Franklin street, the third candidate, has requested part-time assignments.

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SINCE BOTH Fern and Hall were full-time patrolmen, Laghi and Kegel are expected to receive the committee nod.

Both men are veterans. Both are young and both are family men.

Hall joined the swelling alumni of the borough force when he resigned this past week. He had served as a patrolman for the past two years, and walked his last beat last night.

He will become sales manager of the Leahy Motor company, Boyertown.

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FERN RESIGNED this past Jan. 14. He had served on the force

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County Firemen Pick George Lee as Head For Sixth Term

George W. Lee was re-elected president of Montgomery county Firemen's association for his sixth term at a meeting Saturday in Norristown city hall.

Lee is a former chief of Royersford Friendship Fire company.

Others elected were Frank J. Natter, Norriton, first vice president; Frank Gresh, Norristown, second vice president; E. C. Zimmerman, Jeffersonville, third vice president.

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ALSO, EDWIN H. Geissler, McKinley, secretary; William T. Muldrew, Jenkintown, treasurer; Wilson Green, Green Lane, Fire Marshal; and Russell Fitzgerald, Genside, trustee.

Eighty-five delegates of 56 fire companies from the county were represented at the meeting. A total number of 269 members of the association were present.

Ernest Berman, Bryn Athyn, was appointed chairman of a committee to consult with the Red Cross and county hospitals to work out a plan to provide blood bank protection for firemen.

Under the present plan, any member of the department who needs blood must return two pints for each pint taken out of the hospital.

In the fire report for March, it was stated there were 196 fires. Half of these were grass fires.

Property loss due to fire amounted to $35,947. Insurance on the properties totaled $566,670. Property endangered came to $928,450.

Gay Easter Bonnets Haloed by Sunshine

Golden sunshine added an extra feather to Easter caps in Pottstown's parade yesterday morning.

Defying the weatherman — who predicted a cold, damp holiday upon the heels of Saturday's showers—the sun sent the few early morning clouds scattering and beamed on a true Spring holiday.

Even the wind politely resisted the temptation to send Easter bonnets scurrying, and the borough's churchgoers didn't have to dim the finery of their flowery headpieces with clutching hands.

Children's coats were stacked in piles on Memorial park island as shirt-sleeved youngsters sleuthed under bushes for candy eggs, and many Easter paraders kept up the fair weather promenade well into the afternoon.

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HIGHWAYS in the area were reported crowded with carloads of family-outingers, who chose to show off their Easter finery by wheel rather than by foot.

Bright sunlight—plus a surplus

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—Mercury Staff Photo

This Pottstown family held an Easter parade all its own yesterday. The couple is Mr. and Mrs. William Wilde, 622 Spruce street. The gaily bonneted youngsters are, from left to right, Billy, who seems to be mopping his brow, Elaine, getting the free ride, and Mary, more interested in her Easter candy. The Wilde's were one of hundreds of families who took to the sunshine-filled streets after church services yesterday.

Passenger Called In 'Good' Condition After Auto Mishap

A Phoenixville man suffering possible serious injuries resulting from an accident near Collegeville Saturday was reported in "good" condition this morning at Phoenixville hospital.

Leo Kamertz, 26, of 16 East Morgan street, was admitted after the accident at 12:30 a. m. for a possible fracture of the skull and jaw and with multiple cuts and bruises on his arms, knees and face.

He was a passenger in a car driven by John Cutillo, 24, of 104 Dayton street, Phoenixville.

Cutillo and two other occupants of the car, Helen Zimmerman, 19, and Mary Jane Conrad, 17, both of East Greenville, were treated for cuts and bruises by a physician near the accident.

Jeffersonville State Troopers Charles Hicklin and James Capparella said Cutillo's new car, valued at $2900, was a total wreck.

The car crashed into a utility pole on Route 29, two miles south of Collegeville, Upper Providence township.

LATE BULLETIN

MUNSAN, Korea, Monday, April 6 (AP)—UN and Red liaison officers went to work in the Panmunjom truce village today on plans for an immediate exchange of sick and wounded prisoners of war and the chief UN officer said after the meeting, "I feel that we have made progress." See page 2 for more details.

Fire Alarm Caused By Chimney Soot

Smoke which alarmed residents of the Drake apartments, 846 High street, last night was caused by soot in the chimney.

The Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine and Empire Hook and Ladder companies raced to the scene at 8:15 o'clock.

Neither water nor chemicals were used to stop the smoking.

Several men of the companies climbed to the three-story roof of the building and lowered a heavy ball down the chimney shaft.

Others broke a hole in the brick base of the chimney in the basement.

The ball, as it was lowered down the shaft, pushed the soot clogging the chimney down through the hole.

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Increasing cloudiness with highest temperature about 56 degrees today. Occasional rain tonight. Tuesday cloudy with showers and probably scattered thunderstorms.

61 High — Mercury Antics — 38 Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	45	4 p. m.	59
5 a. m.	43	5 p. m.	58
6 a. m.	38	6 p. m.	58
7 a. m.	38	7 p. m.	55
8 a. m.	42	8 p. m.	53
9 a. m.	43	9 p. m.	50
10 a. m.	33	10 p. m.	46
11 a. m.	35	11 p. m.	45
12 m.	37	12 p. m.	43
1 p. m.	38	1 a. m.	42
2 p. m.	38	2 a. m.	41
3 p. m.	61	3 a. m.	40

'Hucksters' Missing in Easter Parade

NEW YORK, April 5 (AP)—Warm "suit weather" sunshine and a little dignity came to Fifth avenue today along with the annual Easter parade.

Not only was it the most easterish Easter in years, so far as weather was concerned, it also produced the biggest and yet the best behaved crowd of Easter paraders that anyone could remember.

When a high police official estimated the crowd in the area of St. Patrick's cathedral at 1,250,000, he said it was "a record crowd for Easter Sunday, and the most orderly."

Observers who remembered the past year's parade of hucksters' models and unpaid exhibitionists agreed and applauded.

More than 400 police, the biggest contingent ever to guard an Easter parade, deserved most of the credit for the dignity.

They quickly and quietly got rid of the crackpots and the few commercial models who appeared. Television camera crews helped by taking their Easter news as it came. They had no platforms beside their trucks this year to draw models in front of the cameras.

And apparently some firms who previously hired models to advertise their products via Easter parading have decided that—with all the furore over commercializing a religious holiday—it just isn't good business any more.

There were some pretty faces in the crowd obviously being

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Mrs. Dora B. Saylor, Widow of Former State Senator, Dies at Summer Home in Wildwood Crest After Illness

Mrs. Dora B. (Gerhard) Saylor, 852-356 High street, wife of the late Henry Durston Saylor, former State senator for Montgomery county, died at her Summer home in Wildcrest Crest, N. J., Saturday noon after being ill for two years.

Her late husband, besides his work as State senator, had been American consul to cities in Cuba, Alaska and Germany.

The Saylor home, one of the few remaining old houses on High street, may be torn down and its site used as a parking lot, it was announced recently. The home was built in 1885.

Mrs. Saylor was born in Norristown, daughter of the late Wilmont and Kate Gerhard. She lived in Norristown until 1885, when she married Mr. Saylor and moved to the High street mansion.

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EXCEPT FOR SUMMERS spent at their summer home in Wildwood Crest, she lived much of her life in Pottstown. She traveled all over the world with her late husband, who died in 1947.

She was a member of Transfiguration Lutheran church and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The last member of her immediate family, she leaves one daughter, Dorothy, wife of Henry R. Hallowell, Merion; two sons, Albert G. Saylor, Limerick, and Harold D. Saylor, Philadelphia, who is Judge of the Orphan's Court in that city; five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street Wednesday at 2 p. m. with the Rev. Theodore L. Fisher, pastor of Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Philadelphia, and the Rev. Eugene Umberger, pastor of Transfiguration Lutheran church, officiating. Private interment ceremonies will be in Mount Zion cemetery.

ON THE MAIN DRAG

HARVEY KUTZ
—taking a stroll on High street.

MRS. GERTRUDE SCHEETZ
—looking for fine Easter blooms.

HIRAM BURDAN
—admiring some Easter bunnies.

WILLIAM YOHN
—carrying an attractive new suit of clothes.

SARA BUCHER
—comparing today's Easter styles with those of yesteryear.

DOROTHY STROHM
—looking into a shop window.

SAMUEL KINCKINER
—recalling memories of the old Grand Opera House.

JOHN PAWLING
—day dreaming as he walks on High street.

SAMUEL H. KEISER
—walking from the post office.

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UN, Red Officers Meet in Truce Town on POW Question

MUNSAN, Korea, Monday, April 6(AP) — United Nations and Communist liaison officers met in the truce village of Panmunjom today and began talks on immediate exchange of sick and wounded prisoners of the Korean war — talks that could lead to the end of the 33-months-old fighting.

The officers went into session at 10 a. m. (8 p.m. Sunday, Pottstown time). Thirty-five minutes later the UN group asked for a recess until 11 a. m. Such recesses usually are requested to allow discussion of a new development among group members, or to report it by telephone to superiors.

The officers recessed for the day at 11:28 a. m.

There was no immediate announcement of what went on at the meeting, and none was expected until the UN group returns to the Munsan camp.

The liaison officers will meet again at 11 a.m. tomorrow (9 p.m. Monday Pottstown time.)

The total meeting today was 48 minutes.

It was the first time since full scale armistice negotiations broke down Oct. 8 that high level delegates of the United Nations command and the Red high command agreed to meet across the conference table. The UN team was headed by Rear Adm. John C. Daniel.

Even in advance of the meeting Gen. Mark Clark, UN commander in Tokyo moved dramatically to speed a truce agreement.

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CLARK ASKED the Communist high command Sunday to give him a detailed plan for settling the entire question of repatriating prisoners—the only issue blocking an armistice.

Clark asked for Communist views on the repatriation issue "in order that it may be studied while reasonable settlement" of the exchange of sick and wounded was being worked out.

The Reds have insisted on getting back all Chinese and North Korean POWs while the UN just as strongly maintained it would not return about 51,000 who refuse to go back to their homelands. The UN lists about 132,000 POWs in South Korean stockades.

The official Chinese Communist newspaper, Peiping Peoples Daily, said in an editorial today "following settlement of this question of the repatriation of sick and injured prisoners of war, we should go further to seek a reasonable settlement of the entire question regarding prisoners of war."

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THE EDITORIAL, broadcast by Peiping radio and heard in San Francisco by the Associated Press said "our new proposal . . . is designed to bring about a Korean armistice and to go further to seek a peaceful settlement of the Korean question." It called the Red proposal a "concession."

Red China's Premier and Foreign Minister Chou En-Lai on March 28 called for an overall prisoner exchange in two steps: After hostilities end, exchange all prisoners willing to be exchanged. Secondly, turn over prisoners unwilling to be repatriated to a neutral state. While held by the neutral state the prisoners will be subject to interrogation by the Reds or the UN command.

Congress Gets Ready For Action to Revise Nation's Tax Laws

WASHINGTON, April 5 (AP) — Congress is clearing the decks for the first complete revision of tax laws since 1875—with plenty of help from the man in the street.

As a preliminary to the revision program, the joint Senate House Committee on Taxation sent out questionnaires all over the country to get people's ideas on taxes.

Colin Stamm, the committee's staff director, said the people are not reticent on the subject. More than 13,000 suggestions for changes have come from more than 5000 individuals in every State in the Union. A few are still coming in.

What do the people think about taxes?

THEY'RE TOO HIGH, of course.

But aside from that, Stamm said, the opinions will be "very helpful" as congressional committees tackle the big revision job.

The idea is to study the merit, justice and clarity of each provision—rewriting, eliminating, or adding new provisions as necessary.

LOCAL NOTICES

No office hours Monday, April 6. Arthur F. Mann, M. D.

Pottstown Hospital Orthopedic Clinic is closed today, Mon. April 6.

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South Koreans Demand Unification Of Country Before Armistice Pact

SEOUL, Monday, April 6 (AP) — Thousands of South Koreans jammed into streets in front of Seoul's bombed and burned-out capitol building today as Republic of Korea officials voiced demands for unification of all Korea before any armistice with the Communists.

Scores of signs in English demanded that all Chinese Communists be driven from Korea and that North Koreans be disarmed before any armistice is concluded.

"We oppose any truce talks without complete unification," read many of the signs.

"Seoul citizens demand the withdrawal of Chinese troops from Korea," read others.

"Disarm North Korean puppet troops," said still others.

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SIGNS IN THE KOREAN language made the same demand, said Associated Press correspondent Bill Shinn, an American-educated native of Korea.

Another sign demanded "UN assurance that it will prevent any third power from assisting any North Korean puppets."

City officials had ordered the demonstration for 10 a. m.—the hour UN and Communist liaison officers met in Panmunjom to discuss an immediate exchange of sick and wounded prisoners of war.

The liaison officers had no authority to discuss any armistice, but the subject they had under consideration could, if it worked out smoothly, lead to a reopening of the truce negotiations. Those talks were broken off Oct. 8.

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LEADERS OF the rally adopted a previously prepared resolution to the UN General Assembly, President Eisenhower, South Korean President UN Syngman Rhee, Gen. Mark Clark, UN Far East chief, and Lt. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, Eight Army commander.

It read in part:

"We oppose Chou En Lai's statement (prisoner of war exchange proposal) because it does not guarantee the United Nations plan for peace, unification of Korea, and her reconstruction.

We want the UN to keep fighting the Red aggressors and punish them in order to achieve international security. . ."

Mice and Monkeys To Be Guinea Pigs In New Atom Test

LAS VEGAS, Nev., April 5 (AP)—This year's fourth atomic test at the Nevada proving grounds is expected in the early daylight hours tomorrow, weather permitting, with mice and monkeys to be given an airborne test in an atomic cloud.

If the test goes off as planned, two pilotless QF 80 jet drones will fly through the mushrooming cloud after the blast. At an Atomic Energy commission press conference today it was disclosed that each drone will carry 60 mice and two monkeys "for bio-medical research purposes."

Two "mother" ships, DT-33's, will take up the drones by remote control. Then they will be flown through the cloud under control of a ground radar station. After the blast the two mother ships again will take over the drones and land them.

AEC officials said two F-86 Sabre jet fighters will be ready to shoot the drones down in case they should get out of control.

The blast also will include further tests for automobiles parked at various distances from the detonation. No troops are to be used in this test.

SOVIETS ARREST MINOR RED FOR FAKE EVIDENCE

Deputy Minister Held Culprit In False Case Against 15 Doctors

MOSCOW, Monday, April 6 (AP)—An obscure former deputy minister of Soviet State security was singled out today as the culprit who faked evidence in the now discredited "doctors' plot."

The Communist party newspaper Pravda identified him as one Ryumin and said he is under arrest.

At the same time Pravda lambasted Ryumin's superior, former Minister of State Security S. Ignatiev, "for having shown political blindness and gullibility" in the case.

The 15 doctors were ordered freed Saturday in a communique from the new Internal Affairs ministry headed by L. P. Beria, first deputy premier in the new Soviet state of Premier Georgi Malenkov.

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RYUMIN WAS in charge of the ministry investigative section which brought the accusation that the doctors plotted the death of Soviet leaders.

The doctors were accused of causing the deaths of Andrei A. Zhdanov and Alexander Shcherbakov through faulty medical treatment. Zhdanov, a leading Politburo member, died in 1948 at the age of 52. Shcherbakov died in 1945 at 44.

Pravda said the whole thing happened "because leaders of the former ministry of state security fell down on the job."

The newspaper demanded:

"How could it happen in the depths of the ministry of state security which is called on to stand on guard of the interests of the Soviet state, there was fabricated provocation whose victims were honest Soviet people, outstanding leaders of Soviet science?"

"This happened first of all," Pravda declared, "because the leaders of the former ministry of state security fell down on the job."

The editorial was entitled "Soviet Socialist Legality Is Inviolable."

Marine Patrol Scraps With Chinese Unit

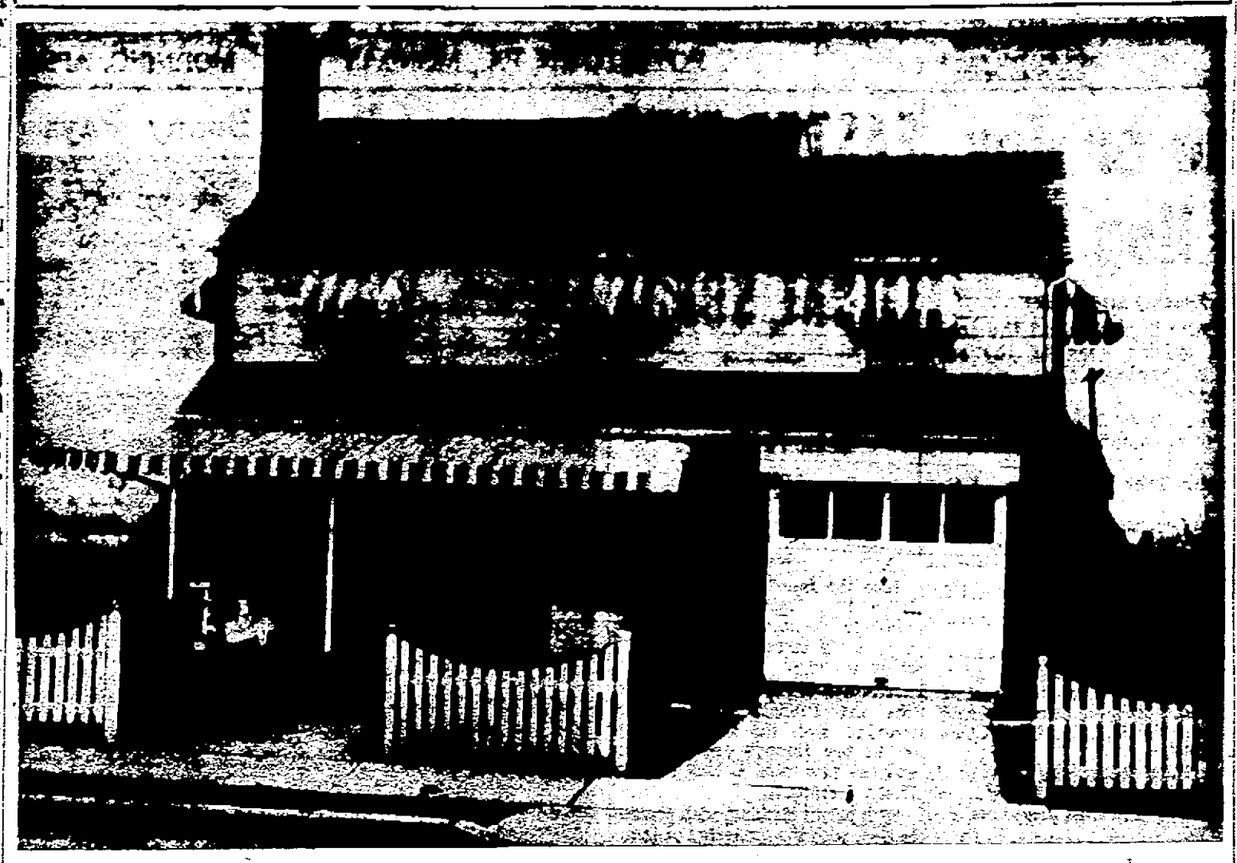
SEOUL, Monday, April 6 (AP)—Patrol fights crackled along the Korean battle front and Allied warplanes dumped tons of bombs on Red supply centers last night and early today as UN and Communist liaison officers began talks at Panmunjom on a quick exchange of sick and wounded prisoners.

East of the conference site, a US Marine patrol scrapped with 175 Chinese in a bitter, early morning fight and handed the Reds heavy casualties.

Leatherneck tank fire, rockets, hand grenades and artillery bloodied the Red company.

Pottstown's Prides

Another in the series of beautiful homes that make Pottstown warm



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Bright aluminum awnings and a smart white fence help dress up this lovely home, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Yocom, 1130 Cherry lane. The house contains six rooms, three bedrooms and a bath on the second floor, and a living room, dining room, and kitchen on the first floor. That's the living room that looks out over the front porch at left. The cellar has been renovated, with knotty pine, into a comfortable television room. The home was constructed 12 years ago. The couple has lived in the home ever since. In the rear of the house is a big yard. The kitchen is behind the one-car garage at right. Yocom is comptroller at Cates and Becker, Ford dealer on West High street.

Six Youths Killed In Head-on Crash On Mountain Road

PRINCETON, W. Va., April 5 (AP)—Six youths, five of whom were believed to have been servicemen on Easter furlough, were killed today in the head-on crash of two automobiles on a highway in the Southern West Virginia mountains.

Three others were hurt seriously in the collision on a sharp curve at the foot of Oakville mountain on US route 219 near here. Both cars were demolished.

The dead were identified by State police as Clyde Lafferty, 20, Ballard, W. Va.; George F. Tullis, 19, Belpre, Ohio; Thomas Franklin Weeks, 29; Thomas Wayne Duncan, 20; Gerald Conrad Stauffer, 18, and Clarence Randolph Meadows, all of near Princeton.

State trooper L. P. Mullins identified Duncan as the driver of the car, in which Weeks, Stauffer and Meadows were passengers.

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THE THREE INJURED, also riding in the Duncan car, were identified at Princeton Memorial hospital as Frank Crawford, 25, Kellysville, W. Va., Tommy Meadows, 17, Willowtown, W. Va., and J. E. Meadows.

Police said the three Meadows youths were brothers.

The seven in Duncan's car were traveling west toward Princeton.

Princeton hospital attendants said Tommy Meadows was in satisfactory condition. Crawford's condition was described as serious. J. E. Meadows was taken to a hospital at Bluefield.

Turks Abandon Hope for Sub's Crew

ISTANBUL, TURKEY, April 5 (AP)—All hope was abandoned tonight for 81 American-trained Turkish sailors who went down in the rammed submarine Dumlupinar in the Dardanelles yesterday. The Defense ministry issued a communique detailing the loss of life: Seven officers, 35 petty officers, 39 enlisted men.

Up until the very last moment this Easter Sunday, rescue teams labored on the slim chance that some life might still be found aboard, even though the vessel lay 228 feet down.

The submarine, formerly the USS Bumper, collided yesterday in pre-dawn darkness with the 4000-ton Swedish freighter Naboland. The crash occurred three miles north of Canakkale, a fortress town near the southern end of the Dardanelles.

The Armed Services Information office yesterday listed 96 officers and men aboard. But the Defense ministry communique in Ankara tonight gave the figure as 86. Five men, including the Dumlupinar's skipper, were saved.

FAROUK IN NICE

NICE, France, April 5 (AP)—Prince Farouk of Egypt arrived on the Riviera today for a holiday. The former Egyptian king, now living in exile in Rome, will remain in Monte Carlo until tomorrow and then is expected to go to Cannes for a whirl at the gambling tables.

FBI Believes Stolen Art Was Destined For Sale in Europe

CHICAGO, April 5 (AP) — Stolen religious paintings worth a large fortune may have been destined for sale in Europe, an FBI agent said today.

Eleven men have been arrested in connection with the theft of nine paintings from St. Joseph's Procathedral at Bardstown, Ky., Nov. 12.

The paintings were recovered Friday night in Chicago. Three of them, described as priceless masterpieces, are Murillo's "Crowning of the Blessed Virgin," Rubens' "Flaying of St. Bartholomew," and Van Eyck's "Descent of The Holy Ghost."

Kline Weatherford, agent in charge of the FBI Chicago office, declined to discuss details of the thefts and handling of the art treasures since they were cut jaggedly from their frames in the Kentucky church. One of the men in custody, the agent said, actually committed the theft.

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HE SAID the three old masters' works and a painting by Jacob Hast called "Immaculate Conception" were found in the automobile of Norton I. Kretske, 47, of Chicago, a former assistant US attorney, when Kretske and Gus Manotelli, 52, of New York, steward on a trans-Atlantic liner, were seized Friday at a near North Side parking lot.

The other five pictures were recovered from a Chicago art dealer.

Weatherford said the FBI investigation included the possibility that Manotelli might have been hired to smuggle four of the paintings to Europe.

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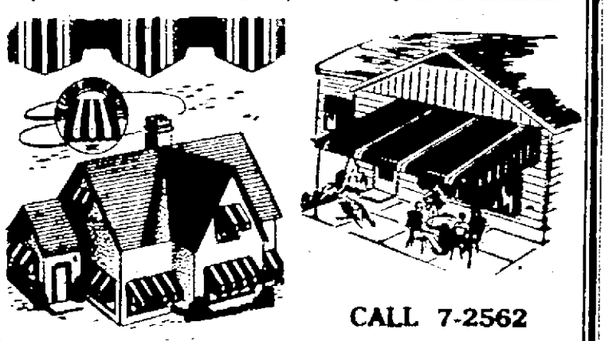
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Commissioner McKenzie Addresses Army Services

Retired Leader Sparks Talk at Citadel With Anecdotes From Indian Service

Commissioner Charles McKenzie dressed in his Indian Salvation Army uniform spoke at the evening service for Pottstown's corps last night in the Citadel.

Holder of the Army's highest rank next to that of general, Commissioner McKenzie illustrated his talk, "I Am the Resurrection and the Life," with stories gleaned from his 44 years of service in India.

There was a mountain in India, said McKenzie, on which rain fell. With wind and atmosphere conditions, it happened that the water fell on just one side of the mountain.

That side of the mountain became fertile; the other remained barren. We puzzled over the way to keep an even balance of rain on both sides of the mountain, he said. Finally, we dug a tunnel so that the overflow of water would run through to make both sides green he said.

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SO, POINTED OUT the commissioner, is the compassion of Christ. By dying for us and proving His love, He has bridged the gap between the barreness of Man and the ever-greeness of God.

McKenzie's uniform was that which he wore during his long stint in India. An orange turban trimmed with red was on his head. His tunic was scarlet with a floor-length wraparound skirt. Over one shoulder a red sach circled.

He told the group of the "Army's" work in India. He described the hostility which the first workers faced from believers in Mohammed and Buddha.

"Army" workers live like the natives in grass huts set far above the ground on stilts to avoid the presence of snakes and insects. Their work ranges from academic and Christian educating to care of lepers in colonies and the sick in hospitals, he said.

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THE STRENGTH of the Salvation Army now is greater in India than it is in any other country of the world he said.

The commissioner is retired now. After 44 years of service heading 'Army' work in India, with rest periods in his homeland of only three months' duration, he has returned to live in Upper Darby. He is 75 years old.

His talk at the 7:30 p. m. service climaxed a day of speaking to Salvation Army groups. He started the day with a Fellowship breakfast and spoke to Sunday school children who totaled a group of 200.

The Easter period is one of self-denial for 'Army' members. Money saved by soldiers of the corps will be given to 'Army' missions.

Sunday School Children Give Festival At St. Peter's Lutheran Church

Children of St. Peter's Lutheran Sunday school, Stowe, presented an Easter festival for members of the congregation yesterday in the church.

Responsive reading which told the background of the Resurrection story opened the program. Leading was the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor.

Boys and girls of the primary department gave recitations and two children presented a duet. All together sang an Easter song.

"The Empty Tomb," a skit highlighted the evening.

REV. A. S. HANSON

The angel choir was directed by Paul Miller; the play by Bertha and Viola Boyer.

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The baptismal font in St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Kepner and their family.

It is a memorial for Mrs. Kepner's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wentzel.

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Flowers on Transfiguration Lutheran church altar yesterday were presented by Mrs. Hiram F. J. Seneker in memory of the Rev. Dr. Seneker.

Dr. Seneker was pastor of Transfiguration church from 1912 to 1937.

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Easter Sunday's floral cross in First Methodist church was given through the John R. Saylor Memorial Flower fund.

Altar flowers were provided by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Yarnall in memory of their son, John R. Yarnall.

Potted plants were placed in the narthex by Mr. and Mrs. George Gincley and Ronald and the Ward Kramer family as a tribute to their sons and brothers.

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"As it Began to Dawn," an anthem, was sung yesterday in St. James Lutheran church by the Chancel choir.

The Rev. Edgar S. Horn, pastor, and his wife placed flowers on the altar in honor of Mrs. Horn's parents

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Zion's Reformed church will welcome new members at a reception next Sunday evening in the chapel at 5:30 o'clock.

Supper will be served later in tureen style.

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Members of Grace Lutheran church brought plants and flowers from their homes to deck the church and sanctuary yesterday.

Children of the Sunday school gave Easter lilies.

Mrs. David Keck presented flowers for the altar vases in honor of her son, Alan.

At the early morning sunrise service, the Senior choir sang a 12th century Easter Hymn, "Christ Is Arisen," for 7 o'clock churchgoers.

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Early-risers at Second Baptist church attended the 6 a. m. Sunrise service yesterday in the church. After worship, they had ham and egg breakfast.

Hosts and waiters during the meal were members of the Helping Hand club.

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Dr. Russell D. Snyder, professor of New Testament at Philadelphia seminary, spoke to Emmanuel Lutheran church worshipers at the 10:45 a. m. service yesterday.

The Rev. Alton H. Wedde, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, Limerick, assisted at the 7 a. m service.

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Music presented by soloists, duetists and quartetists highlighted the 7:30 o'clock evening program in Baltzell Evangelical United Brethren church yesterday.

Mrs. Raymond Rhoads sang "There is a Green Hill Far Away", Mrs. Paul Quinter and Richard Smoker, organist and director, harmonized on "O Divine Redeemer." "Send Thy Holy Spirit" was presented by a quartet of Suzanne Kirby, Jean Harner, Walter W. Price and Irvin Shollenberger.

TAKING BASIC--Army Pvt. **Paul R. Henry, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Henry, Halfway House, Pottstown RD 3, is taking basic training at Camp Rucker, Ala., with the 154th Infantry regiment. He attended Upper Pottsgrove and Pottstown schools, then worked as a mechanic for Keiser Chevrolet incorporated before he entered the service the past Feb. 17.**

OIL MEN TO MEET

PITTSBURGH, April 5 (AP)—About 600 oil and gas executives of the Eastern district, Division of Production, American Petroleum institute, will attend the group's annual Spring meeting here Thursday and Friday.

STUDENTS SPEND EASTER WEEK WITH PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. William Haas Visit Son, Rev. Haas At His Home

GREEN LANE—Mrs. Otto Derr, corr. Phone Haywood 2683. W. Wilson Moyer, del. Phone Haywood 2219.

Pauline Benner, who was capped at the Norristown hospital, spent the weekend with her parents.

The following students are spending the Easter vacation at the homes of their parents: Paul and Helen Nestler, Susquehanna university, with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nestler; Willard Schoelkopf, Dickinson College, with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schoelkopf; Kathryn Hendricks, West Chester State Teacher's college, with Mr. John Hendricks; Joan Kline, Montgomery hospital, with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kline and Paul Bardman, Franklin and Marshall college, with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bardman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haas, Lowry were visitors at the home of their son, the Rev. and Mrs. Robert A. Haas.

The Rev. and Mrs. Robert Haas and Mrs. Charles Brown were dinner guests of Mrs. Angeline Wigge and family, Perkiomenville.

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MR. AND MRS. ROBERT KOESTEL and son, Mrs. Florence Koestel and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Sadorf and children, Philadelphia, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Sadorf and family.

Judy Baker, Barto, spent a week with the John Ferketich family.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Sauerland attended the wedding and reception of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schell.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hauck, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rohrbach, Macungie, Mrs. Henry Rohrbach, Huffs Church, Mrs. Ella Erb, Ringing Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Imbody, East Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Meier and son visited Mr. Meier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Meier, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Willy Herold and daughter, Arline, Berlin, N. J., visited Mr. and Mrs. Karl Hertel.

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MRS. KENNETH SNYDER called on her sister, Mrs. William Updegrove, Trooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Reuter, Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gronert and son, East Greenville were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gronert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pfrommer, Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. W. Townsend, Skippack were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schoelkopf.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Sauerland entertained their children and grandchild, Karen.

COMMISSION OKAYS

WASHINGTON, April 5 (AP)—The communications commission has authorized radio station WBUT, Butler, to switch from 1580 to 1050 kilocycles.

Protestant Evangelist Will Remain in Italy

NAPLES, Italy, April 5 (AP)—Police said today the Rev. Anthony Caliandro, Italian-born American Protestant Bible institute director, has been given an indefinite extension of his permit to remain in Italy.

Caliandro, head of a Chicago and Detroit financed Evangelical Bible mission here, had been informed that his residence permit expired more than two weeks ago. He called in doctors to support his contention that he was too ill to move.

Police in this predominantly Roman Catholic country said today all action in his case has been dropped for the time being, and he has been given an "extension until he is recovered from his illness."

Thought He Killed Wife So Plunges Out Window

NEW YORK, April 5 (AP)—Alfred Rodriquez, 53, quarreled with his wife today and, in a fury, grasped her about the throat.

She went limp, apparently choked to death.

Then, police said, Rodriquez plunged to his death from a fifth-floor window.

Police said he did it because he thought he had killed his wife. But she regained consciousness soon after the quarrel, having suffered only a few bruises.

Music and Mime Combine for Easter Tableaux at Trinity Vesper Service

Music and dramatic pantomime were co-ordinated in a program written by the Rev. Donald T. Floyd and produced last night in Trinity Evangelical Congregational church.

Three tableaux were presented in the church depicting the crucifixion and resurrection stories.

Focusing the scenes was a seven-foot lighted cross surrounded by Easter lilies and palms. Music, reading and action circled around it.

In the first tableau, people from all countries of the world were portrayed as they journeyed to the cross. Readings and music by the choir further illustrated the theme.

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THE CROSS WAS VEILED in black to symbolize the crucifixion in the second tableau. Somber music was played on the organ while the Rev. Floyd read the crucifixion story. Ronald Rohland's muted trumpet solo in the back of the church ended the scene.

A golden crown was placed on the arms of the cross in the third and last scene. Resurrection organ and choir music accompanied the triumphal crowning.

The Rev. Floyd then read four letters from nationally known figures who explained what Christ meant to them.

Easter and Holy Week songs were sung in a medley by the choir.

A newly-formed quintet closed the program with song. Singers were Jacqueline Marshall, Jacklyn McCormick, LaRue Frymoyer, Roseann Fullman and Judy Feight.

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READERS WERE Forrest Frits, Mrs. Kenneth Detweiler, the Rev. Floyd and Paul Feight.

Persons in the tableaux included Jacklyn Mauger, Arlene Shaffer, Joan Kerr, Judy Feight and LaRue Frymoyer.

Property directors were Mrs. Charles Hertzog and Mrs. William Hertzog.

Independent Labor Party Calls Coronation 'Waste'

BRADFORD, England, April 5 (AP)—A little group of out-spoken Independent Labor party members said in a resolution today that the forthcoming coronation of Queen Elizabeth II is a waste of money.

The resolution caused no flutter among Englishmen who heard about it. The Independent Labor party has no connection with Britain's powerful labor party, led by former Prime Minister Clement Atlee.

The resolution said "this conference is convinced that a Democratic state does not need either king, queen or royal family."

Mrs. Donald Richards Entertains Friends At Party in Home

EVANSBURG—Mrs. R. R. Yerkes, corr. Phone 5806. H. Hobbs del. Phone 6000.

Mrs. Donald Richards entertained friends at her home, Cross Keys road. Her guests included: Mrs. Warren Kantner, Mrs. Carl Hunsicker, Mrs. Ralph Bosler, Mrs. Harry Butterworth, Mrs. Joseph Shainline Jr., Mrs. William Shainline, Mrs. Erwin Shainline, Mrs. Willis Redding, Mrs. Chester Bossert and Mrs. T. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Richards and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Beatty, Beth Ayres.

Mrs. Addell Witherow and children, Sonya, Ronald, Keith and Carol, Collegeville road, visited Mrs. Witherow's parents, Caine.

Philip Lock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lock, Mill and Heiser roads, celebrated his 5th birthday.

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ELAINE LORD, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lord, who is a student at Washington Missionary college, Washington, D. C., was chosen to sing in a 200-voice choral group from the University of Maryland. The group sang in the Ritchie coliseum with the National Symphony orchestra, Washington, D. C., under the direction of Howard Michel with Fague Springman, baritone, as soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Tremor, Collegeville RD 1, are celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary this week.

Peter Korezniak, Billy Yeagle, George Marshman and Larry Brown, Juniors at Collegeville-Trappe High school, spent the Easter vacation in Florida.

Amity Board Gives Approval to Budget

Amity township supervisors gave final approval on a budget of $24,000 at a meeting Saturday.

Irwin Geiger, president, said the budget goes into effect immediately.

Geiger reported the board will soon ask for bids on oil and stone to be used in constructing and repairing the township's roads.

Lodge Here to Hold Delayed Meeting Sunday

A meeting scheduled for yesterday by St. Gabriel's lodge was postponed because of the Easter holiday.

Joseph Zangrilli, president, said the monthly session will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Pottstown's Church Calendar

Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Wednesday, demonstration of the care and trimming of shrubbery on church lawn, 10 a. m.

Salem, the Rev. John F. Wilson, pastor. Thursday, Ladies Aid society in home of Mrs. Job Yarnall, 511 North Evans street, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Children's choir, 2 p. m.

BAPTIST

First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Today, Golden Rule class in home of Mary Jane Detterrer, 7 p. m.; trustees' meeting in church office, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Senior Girl Scout Troop 26, 6:15 p. m.; Genesis class, 6 p. m., Wednesday, Fellowship supper for Missionary society, 6:30 p. m., followed by film, "The Challenge of Africa"; Thursday, Philathea class at church, 8 p. m.; Fidelis class at home of Mrs. Roy Hoel, 8 p. m.

Second, the Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor. Today, egg hunt for children on camp meeting grounds, Jefferson and Adams streets, 3 p. m.

BRETHREN

First, the Rev. Ralph R. Frey, pastor. Today, Junior choir, 7 p. m.; Wednesday, prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8:30.

LUTHERAN

Emmanuel, the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, Brownie Troop 29, 4 p. m.; Ladies' Bible class covered-dish supper, 6:30 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 8, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Brownie Troop 7, 4 p. m.; reception for new members received since Easter 1952, 6 p. m.; Wednesday, sewing by Mothers' class and Mite society, 9 a. m.; Brownie Troop 11, 4 p. m.; Chapel choir, 6 p. m.; Girl Scouts, 7 p. m.; Thursday, Carol choir, 4 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m., Boy Scout troop committee, 8 p. m.

Grace, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Today, Junior choir rehearsal and egg hunt, 2 p. m.; Wednesday, Young Women of Grace, 8:15 p. m.; Thursday, Sunday school board meeting, 7 p. m.; Vestry meeting, 8 p. m.

St. James, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Today, Brownies, 3:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; tomorrow Women's Missionary society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, reception for all new members, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Chancel choir, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Junior choir, 10 a. m.

St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor. Today, joint meeting of Senior and Intermediate Luther leagues, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Junior Confirmation class travels to Trappe Lutheran church, 4 p. m.; Loyal club on stewardship, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior Luther league, 7 p. m.; Saturday, Norristown conference Luther league convention at Trinity church, Quakertown, 10 a. m.

St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Today, Boy and Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Friendly Bible class fureen supper, 6:15 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday church school 1 and 2:30 p. m.; Thursday, vestry, 7:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 8 p. m.; Friday, Junior choir, 4 p. m.; Saturday, Catechetical class, 11 a. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor. Today, League of St. Andrew, 7:15 p. m.; Wednesday, Senior Catechetical class, 7 p. m.; Women's Missionary society, 7:45 p. m.; vestry meeting, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Senior choir, 7:45 p. m.; Friday, Junior choir, 3:45 p. m.

REFORMED

St. John's, the Rev. Paul C. Scheirer, pastor. Today, Confirmation class, 6:30 p. m.; reception for new members, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, Sunday school council, 8 p. m.; Friday, Brotherhood Boys' Night, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Youth fellowship, 5:30 p. m.

St. Paul's, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheirer, pastor. Thursday, Senior 7 p. m.; reception for new members, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Junior choir, 10 a. m.; Youth fellowship, 5:30 p. m.

Trinity, the Rev. John B. Frantz, pastor. Today, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Boy Scout troop committee, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, monthly Sunday school teachers' workers conference, 6:30 p. m.; Sunday school board of control, 9 p. m.; Church Extension society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, Junior choir, 3:30 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts, 6:30 p. m.; Senior choir, 7:30 p. m.; choir business meeting, 9:30 p. m.; Friday, Trinity Bible class meeting in Fellowship hall, 8 p. m.

Zion's, the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor. Today, Consistory in home of Donald Hawthorne, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, Mothers' club in home of Mrs. Frank Wimyer, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Zion's class in chapel, 8 p. m.

St. Paul's, the Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, pastor. Today, paper-removing bee in the parsonage, 6:30 p. m.

METHODIST

First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Wednesday, prayer hour, 7:45 p. m.; Thursday, WSCS, with speaker Mrs. Philip Herr on: "Have Thine Own Way," 7:45 p. m.; Friday, Mothers' class in home of Mrs. Maurice Mosheim, 320 North York street, 8 p. m.

Bethel AME, the Rev. Enoch N. Martin, pastor. Today, church congregation meeting, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, choir practice, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, pastor and congregation invited to Lebanon AME church, the Rev. W. M. White, pastor, 8 p. m.

Searles, the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover, pastor. Today, board meeting, 7:45 p. m.; tomorrow, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Ladies' Bible class, 7:45 p. m.; Wednesday, WSCS executive board, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Senior choir, 7:30 p. m.; Friday, Junior choir, 4 p. m.; Saturday, Young Adult Family Night and tureen dinner, 6 p. m.

OTHER CHURCHES

First Presbyterian, the Rev. A. Burtis Hallock Jr., pastor. Today, Girl Scout Troop 5, 4 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 5, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Circle 1 in home of Mrs. Walter Krause, Glasgow Manor apartments, 7:30 p. m.; Circle 2 in home of Mrs. Edwin Kammerrell, 321 Henry street, 1:30 p. m.; Circle 3, in home of Mrs. Hugh McDevitt, 1 p. m.; choir rehearsal, 7:15 p. m.; Wednesday, all-day sewing in assembly room, 10 a. m.; Thursday, Circle 4 in church house, 8 p. m.; Saturday, Brownie Troop 25, 1:30 p. m.

Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Lincker, pastor. Today, Woman's club, 8 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor. Tomorrow, Altrust class meeting in home of Howard Porter, 804 Queen street, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, Spring Missionary Rally with speaker the Rev. Oliver Deneilman, missionary to Japan, 7:30 p. m.

Truth of Divine Spirit church, 145 High street, the Rev. William D. Eckenrode, pastor. Tomorrow, service, 7:45 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 234 High street. Wednesday, evening meeting with selection from the Bible and from "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, and testimonies of healing, 8 p. m.

Wellness Christian, the Rev. Berwin H. Wainley, pastor. Wednesday, prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:45 p. m.

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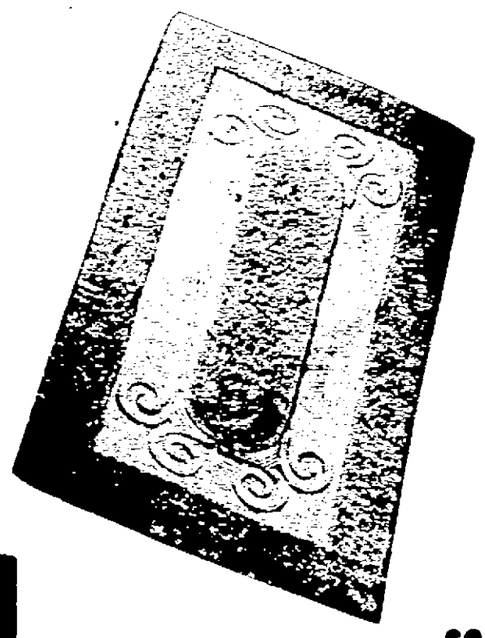

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MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1953

Time magnifies everything after death; a man's fame is increased as it passes from mouth to mouth after his burial.—Sextus Propertius.

Off to a Good Start

THIS is the mechanized age.

We see the evidence of that fact everywhere—in our homes and businesses, in the great cities and the small towns. And nowhere has the machine effected a swifter or more dramatic revolution than on the American farm.

Today, it is estimated, our farmers are using more than $12,500,000,000 worth of machinery—tractors, corn pickers, combines, hay balers and so on down the long list. These mechanical marvels perform basic farm tasks far more cheaply, far more swiftly, and far more efficiently than is possible with human or animal labor. They have been one of the biggest factors in increasing the farm income—and in making it possible for a small percentage of the population to provide ample farm products for all the rest of us, with heavy quantities left over for export to less fortunate lands.

This represents tremendous progress. But it is not the end of the story. In agriculture, the mechanized age is still far from maturity.

An authority on farm management has stated that the average American farmer is actually working for less than one dollar an hour.

Commenting on that fact, the president of an organization which markets farm equipment nationally said.

"There can be only one explanation for this. It is simply that not enough tools have been provided for the American Farmer. Power has not yet been applied to enough of the jobs that make up the complex business of farming. The average farmer still does 60 percent of his work without benefit of any power other than his own muscles."

The machine has been a boon to agriculture. What is needed now is still more machines, still more mechanization, still greater gains in productivity and efficiency.

"Bigness" Doesn't Mean Monopoly

THE growth of big business, it is often argued, makes for monopoly.

That idea is not held in informed quarters. For example, the Brookings Institution has been working for five years on an exhaustive factual study of the role of big business in this country.

In one section its report says, "The nationwide businesses . . . may do more to break up the power of local monopolies than to cement their own."

We see examples of this on every hand. The manufacturers of national brands, for instance, must be represented in every market place—and the result is much greater competition than would otherwise be the case.

A very important example can be found in retailing. A generation or so ago the smalltown general store had pretty much of a monopoly. Competitors were few or nonexistent. Mark-ups were extremely high compared with present-day standards.

Then the early chains came into being. They pioneered low-cost merchandising, and began to open outlets in more and more communities. Other kinds of retailers had to compete or perish. They did compete—and consumers everywhere received greater value than they ever had before.

In a free country, where government sticks to the role of "umpire," there is plenty of room for business of every size and kind. None has a monopoly of anything—for long.

Watch Those 'Figures'!

GOVERNMENT departments have developed fantastic "waste lines" during the past 20 years. President Ike and his lieutenants are pledged to put them through a rigorous slimming routine. They've made a start:—

Secretary Weeks is said to have advised an Appropriation sub-committee that he can sweat $161,700,000 out of the Commerce Department's budget.

The State Department has volunteered to slim its building program for diplomatic staffers in Germany by $2,500,000.

The executive departments have grown fat on a diet too rich and too costly. We can trust Mr. Eisenhower to slim them into shape.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, April 5.

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where Parisian women carried tiny umbrellas in the Easter parade. They called them "half-chamberlains." If US girls adopt them they'll become semi-bumbershoots!

It won't be long now till the baseball teams begin play. This is the best time of the baseball season, because it's the only time all teams are tied for first place!

And say: To have a beautiful backyard garden, you must either have green thumbs or greenbacks!

Hopin' you air the same,
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

Bachelors Ignorant of Finer Things

Senseless

To the Editor: I would certainly like to meet the two bachelors who are making such a big fuss over the mothers and their baby carriages.

In my opinion, these two men are either "off in the head" or do not have the sense they were born with.

Didn't your mother ever take you for a stroll in a carriage on a nice Spring day, or is it possible that you were so abnormal that she was ashamed of you?

You say a child should be seen and not heard until he is ten years old. In my opinion a child ten years old has more sense than you do.

Sure, mothers are proud of their babies, but I surely wouldn't be proud of you if I were your mother.

So if you can't say anything good about mothers and their babies, keep your big mouth shut.

Pottstown
EXPECTANT MOTHER

Bachelor's Trash

To the Editor: In answer to Bachelor ("Sidewalks Are Cluttered," Readers Say, March 26).

I wonder if he forgets he was a baby once? Was his mother ashamed of him that she had to hide him in the parlor or the backyard?

Since when is a mother silly to have a baby and be proud to push it out on the sidewalks?

I thought when my husband went to war and risked his life, he was fighting to make this a free country. It wouldn't be free very long if everybody thought like the silly Bachelor.

I think it is terrible that a mother has to pick-up the paper and read such trash because that's what I think he wrote—trash.

I am the mother of two girls and I am very proud to take them out in the carriage on the sidewalk for everybody to see.

Pottstown
PROUD MOTHER

Bachelors All Wet

To the Editor: A letter to the guy who "Backs Bachelor," (Readers Say, March 31).

These bachelors who can't stand the sight of babies should move to the middle of the Pacific or Atlantic oceans. One thing certain. They don't belong here.

Mr. Bachelor, did you ever stop to think (or can't you think?) about the way you looked when you were a baby?

I bet you were one of the ugliest. You sure are one of the most disgusting persons on this earth, and in my opinion you're very ignorant.

I, for one, wouldn't think of keeping my baby hidden in the parlor or in the back yard just to please a silly old bachelor that thinks he's better than anyone else and can't live with other people.

No mother should be ashamed of her baby and keep it hidden.

Babies are the most wonderful humans in the world.

Oh yes! Mr. Bachelor, even though you don't think so, babies are human.

All I can say to you is this, your mother should have stopped having babies before you were born.

Pottstown
A BABY LOVER

Bachelors Stupid

To the Editor: I read your bachelor's letters in The Mercury ("Backs Bachelor", Readers Say, March 31). I think the first bachelor and the second one are just as stupid as each other.

Maybe some of us mothers do think it's cute, and I for one do.

But did you ever stop and think Mr. Bachelor that we mothers have to go to town and do our shopping?

What are we supposed to do, wait till our husbands come home from a hard day's work and push the baby on him while we go to town?

Your opinion is also very stupid. Did your mother wait till you were ten years old before she took you out to see the sights?

I guess she also kept you hidden away from the fresh air, by the way you talk. I can tell you don't known much about health either, or you would realize fresh air is good for anyone.

I think we mothers have enough household expenses without having to buy licenses for our baby coaches.

What are we supposed to do, Mr. Bachelor, stop having babies to please you?

We might be proud and silly mothers, but we have something to be proud about.

My advice to you is to get married and have a couple of your own—then maybe you will feel different.

Pottstown
DISGUSTED MOTHER

God's Goodness

To the Editor: In answer to a Reader ("Wants Fiery Sermons", Readers Say, April 1).

There is more to being a Christian than sitting in a church and listening to fiery sermons.

As I read this article I think of one who may be the writer and if I am right, this man reads the Bible and the devil does the talking.

Now this man ought to be a Christian. He has always been blessed with good health, a wonderful job, a nice automobile and a nice house (but not a home). He has three lovely children and a wonderful wife. He has no love for any of them—he tells them to get away from him that he hates them.

"This is my house, I bought it. This is my car, I bought it," he would never think of letting his wife see a pay check. "That's my money."

Does he ever think of how good God has been to him?

He doesn't seem to know that overnight God could take his health, his house, his car and his money.

He will not allow his children to have companions.

If ever any children come to the house to play, he chases them away and the result is that his children are chased away from the homes of other children.

He is not interested in anything his children do. Helps them in nothing but to torment them and make them cry.

He should read St. Luke 12:18, 19, 20 verses and Rev 3:16.

Pottstown
OBSERVER

INTERPRETIVE

Red Peace Maneuvers May Cloak Asia Plans

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, April 5 — Georgi Malenkov's recent peace maneuvers in his clash with the Western world, especially the United States, now seem designed deliberately to cloak his schemes to strengthen and extend his hold on the vast man power and natural resources of China, Southeast Asia and India.

In the opinion of American, British, French and German statesmen, who have tried to analyze and anticipate the new dictator's strategy in conferences at the White House, Malenkov may be executing the Lenin theory that "The road to Paris lies through Peiping." In other words, conquer the Asiatic continent first and Europe will fall without a shot.

Malenkov has shown fresh interest in the Far East since Stalin's death. He and Mao Tze-tung exchanged extremely fullsome greetings and pledges after that event, probably because neither was—or is sure of their future relationship. Mao was accorded honors almost coequal with those given Stalin's successor.

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ARMS FOR FOOD: Besides promising more arms and supplies for the Korean and Indo-China conflicts, Malenkov concluded a new and more far-reaching economic agreement with his fellow Red. Under this pact, Moscow will furnish industrial machinery in return for raw materials and food.

The accord was hailed in Peiping as evidence of the Soviet's "sincere, disinterested and fraternal aid." Its importance is measured by the fact that, within three years, China's trade with Russia has increased from 28 to 72 percent of all foreign commerce.

After seven years of delay, Moscow only recently returned 5000 Japanese prisoners to their homeland as a token of repatriation of 50,000 still held. All have been indoctrinated during their imprisonment. They are relied on to organize a fifth column in Japan at a time of political and parliamentary instability in that country.

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MOLOTOV, FAR EAST AUTHORITY: Another significant stroke in this reorientation of policy is the promotion of Molotov to the Foreign Minister's post. This sinister figure is the Kremlin's authority on the Far East. It was he who sold Stalin the strategy of weakening and dissipating the West's military and economic resources by remote invasions in Korea and Indo-China.

The conquest of these territories would give Russia a strong flanking position throughout the entire Far East, as well as control of far Pacific waters. The West's now slender grip on the Asiatic area—Japan, Formosa, Philippines, Indonesia, Thailand, Burma, India—would become untenable. And the oil-rich Middle East would succumb next.

Molotov is an excellent salesman, especially with such a prize in his bag. And Malenkov, ambitious to exceed Stalin's grasp of empire, may prove an easy and eager customer.

The situation in Western Europe facilitates such a shift. On this front, Malenkov feels that he can limit his operations to an offensive of diplomatic deception. His peace feelers are designed to disarm the allies.

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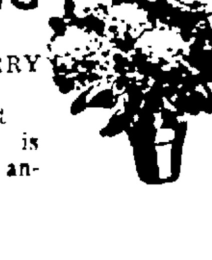

The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

ETHEL MERMAN!—Jubilant is the word for Merman. Dotting each "i" in the lyric, and aiming every note at the last seat in the gallery, she sings with a gay triumphant style that has no counterpart in show business history. She belts out a song like a female blacksmith under a cold shower. And she seems to love every song she sings—fun song or love song—possibly because she's the kind of a singer who just won't sing a song unless she loves it.

Ethel Merman

As Ethel Zimmerman, she subway'd from Astoria to tap the typewriter keys for $15 per week at the B-K Vacuum Booster Brake company, but dusted off that job when she won a singing job after auditioning at the Little Russia Cafe on West 57th street. That first musical paycheck was for $75 a week.

Jimmy Durante caught her act and suddenly she was on the big time, singing and clowning with the fabulous team of Clayton, Jackson and Durante at Les Ambassadeurs on Broadway.

She did vaudeville with those zanies, and then the Palace. There George Gershwin saw The Merm for the first time and signed her for "Girl Crazy."

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THAT WAS WHERE it really began—where show goers saw her for the first time. From there on, every little turn of the Broadway kaleidescope shook her career into a bright new pattern.

June 9, 1941 was the big date. "Panama Hattie" was the show, and the star dressing room was reserved for Miss Merman. No co-stars on this one.

It had been a long but happy climb. She sang "Let's Be Buddies" and the audience screamed its willingness.

(Gene Kelly was dancing in "Pal Joey" and "My Sister Eileen" was playing to packed houses.)

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THREE MORE big hits—"Something For The Boys," "Annie Get Your Gun" and "Call Me Madam"—and Hollywood finally persuaded Ethel to show off her talents in Technicolor to the kids in Sheboygan and Tuscaloosa who never get to the $7.20 orchestra seats in the big city.

And she did, and the screen version of "Call Me Madam" is Merman at her greatest—bouncing, joyous, hilarious, and somehow touching.

She's so good in it that it could be the stage has lost her to the easier life and bigger pay checks of the movies.

Nobody could blame her, but everybody on Broadway hopes not.

Broadway would miss her terribly.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

AMY L. is the wife of an Ohio judge.

"Dr. Crane, I used to be quite active in civic affairs," she admitted, "and thought I still was quite extrovertive.

"But three weeks ago I sent for your Compliment club materials. Every day I have faithfully paid an honest compliment to each of three different persons.

"But last night I suddenly realized I had paid compliments to only two people. Thus I was one short of my quota to keep my record straight and entitle me to the membership certificate in the Compliment club.

"So I deliberately put on my hat and coat and went down the street. Finally, I entered a drugstore, where I overheard a girl clerk give an excellent sales demonstration for a new brand of cosmetic.

"I complimented her and then came home. Thus, I am still eligible for my membership certificate, and hope to complete the 30-day experiment without further trouble.

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"YOU ONCE stated that barely 10 percent of those who launch upon the Compliment club experiment, ever complete the full 30 days.

"I have always been a doer or finisher of the tasks I have undertaken, for I was the oldest child in a large family. So I have vowed to be in the upper 10 percent who win your diploma.

"That's why I enrolled in your Compliment club experiment, and that's why I am reversing my senile tendencies. So I am resuming activity in my clubs. I am going back to church and Sunday school.

"I am resisting the inertia of my body and mind, by forcing myself to keep active. Thus, I will retain a greater number of interesting external connections.

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"YOU SAID that rejuvenation is largely a psychological matter. I am convinced that you are correct.

"So tell your readers to enrol in the Compliment club, and get the rest of their families or Sunday school class to do the same. It's fun!"

In Retrospect

50 Years Ago

April 6, 1903

INVENTION LEADS—That invention has done more to develope the United States than discovery was claimed in a debate held by the Sanatoga Literary society. The affirmative speakers were Harry Walt Jr., John Stetler and Helen Scheffey, while the negative side was taken by Frank Bickhart, Leroy Krause and Cora Rahn.

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ICE HOUSE BURNS—A big ice house at the Mill Park hotel premises was destroyed by fire which was discovered by Eva Quigley, young daughter of Edward Quigley, the farm tenant.

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INJURED—Wilmer G. Henry, 445 Laurel street, lost the index finger of his left hand as a result of being caught in a rivet punching machine at the McClintic-Marshall Company plant.

25 Years Ago

April 6, 1928

WARM WEATHER—Yesterday was the warmest April 5 for the past 18 years. The temperature reached 82 degrees and overcoats and wraps were discarded. Easter business was stimulated and there was a rush in stores for Spring clothing.

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NEW STATION—The Reading Company is asking bids for the new passenger station to be erected here at a cost of about $250,000. Plans call for a one-story stone structure with the interior of Colonial design.

10 Years Ago

April 6, 1943

STAR BASKETEER — Clarence "Tuffy" High, veteran Pottstown High school basketball player was picked on the Associated Press All-Pennsylvania Interscholastic A.A. second team.

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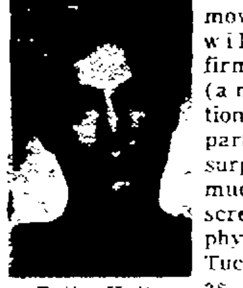
GI KILLED—Sgt. Alfonso W. Maslauskas, 25, of Pennsburg RD, was killed in action in the South Pacific war area. He was a son of Joseph Maslauskas.

KNOW MORE?

Hollywood

By EDITH GWYNN

HOLLYWOOD, April 5 — Betty Hutton's en route to N. Y. to sign a big, fat television contract with NBC. If the deal jells, our note months ago that Bettina would be on a high flown video toot before she tackled movies again, will be confirmed. Further, (and in repetition) this department will be surprised if her much-touted screen biography of Sophie Tucker is made as Hutton's return to pictures. Such so-called nastalgic biographies are more often bores than boffo. Stale stuff . . . Ralph Meeker, star of the Broadway hit, "Picnic," is having a picnic with Dutch Countess Gerda von Kardu. Meeker flitted from Barbara Stanwyck to Nina Foch (and vice versa) when he was movie-making here . . . Esperanza Wayne is at Burbank's St. Joseph's hospital with a throat ailment. But it isn't from screaming at John over settlement talks. They haven't even met since she returned from Mexico.



Betty Hutton

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AVA GARDNER and Bob Taylor meet momentarily in London — she coming from Spain, he from Hollywood. George Sanders joins them from the direction of Rome: Mel Ferrer from Morocco. All start shooting "Knights of the Round Table" in England. Frankie Sinatra was in rare form, making with the monologues at our maison the other evening. Very funneh. Especially telling what happened back-stage after a benefit at Madison Square Garden coupla weeks ago, when Christine Jorgenson and Milton Berle met for the first time. Oooooh! What Miltie said to Chrissie! . . . Marie Sullivan, Barry's Mrs., hobbled through the long night with a broken toe. Barry, who can't play the Rev. Davidson in "Sadie Thompson" because his current "China Venture" won't be finis in time, was aching out loud to do a Broadway show.

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VAN JOHNSON was so needlessly nervous about his April 16 opening at The Sands in Las Vegas, we're still reaching for sedatives. Roger Edens has composed Van's opening numbers. Nick Castle is routining the dances: Ben Oakland and Don Ray contributing extra songs . . . Edens, incidentally, has gone to Mexico for several weeks vacation. Then he'll produce "The Romberg Story," at Metro . . . Tony Martin and ever-lovin' Cyd Charisse breezed in after "The Band Wagon" preview—all smiles . . . Casey Adams, minus 20 pounds, said he dropped 'em because bride-to-be Margie Miller insisted.

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is a megalomaniac?

2. Can you name one food that is absolutely essential for health?

3. What cape is at the southernmost point of the United States?

4. What was the first plastic manufactured on a commercial scale?

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FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME

1. She was the wife of one of our early Presidents, guess which one. She was born in London, England, on Feb. 12, 1775, daughter of a Marylander who acted as American fiscal agent in that country. She was married on July 26, 1797, and had four children, three boys and a girl. She died in 1852, **and her maiden name was Louisa Catherine Johnson.**

2. He was born in Dayton, Tex., Oct. 10, 1910, and began his career as a reporter on newspapers in Fort Worth and Waco. He was admitted to the Texas bar in 1932, and practiced law in Liberty, Tex. He is a newspaper publisher and the author of treatises on Texas state problems. In the November, 1952, elections he was elected to the United States Senate — one of our freshman senators. What is his name?

(Names at bottom of column)

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IT HAPPENED TODAY

1917 — The United States Congress declared war on Germany. 1935—Edwin Arlington Robinson, American poet, died.

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WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

OPTICIAN — (op TISH un) — noun; one who makes or who deals in, optical glasses and instruments. Origin: French — Opticien.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy birthday today to Lowell Thomas Sr., newscaster; Donald Douglas, aircraft builder, and Charles Jackson, novelist.

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HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. A person who is suffering from delusions of grandeur.

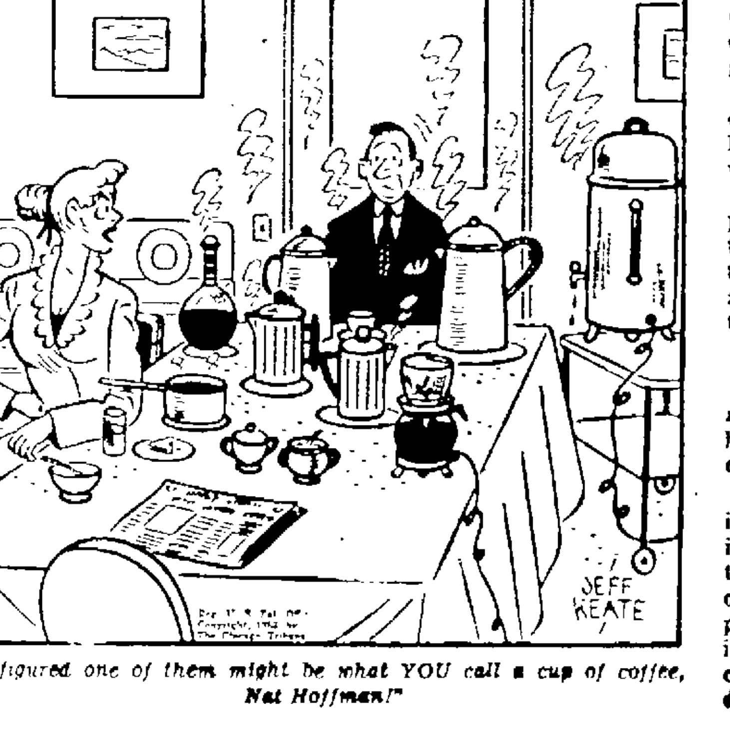
2. There is no such food, according to nutritionists.

3. Cape Sable, at the tip of Florida.

4. Celluloid.

1. Mrs. John Quincy Adams. 2. Senator Price Daniel.

Pottstown Sketches



"I figured one of them might be what YOU call a cup of coffee, Nat Hoffman!"

ALL AROUND THE TOWN

The Monday Wash . . . Thoughts for Holiday . . .

★ THOUGHTS WHILE SHAVING—On the average, we Pottstonians spend six minutes a day—36½ hours a year—mowing the whiskers off our faces! If we cut ourselves trying to do the job faster, it takes longer! . . . Small wonder it takes so long. The slimmest whisker on a man's face is thicker than the heaviest hair on his scalp—if he has any on his scalp! . . . The average length of life among American wage earners and their families is now 68.5 years. This is a gain of slightly more than four years since 1942 and of about 22 years in the past four decades.

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LOOK WHAT'S UP — Doughnuts shaped like pretzels are being brought out. Three holes for one . . . Whale meat is being used extensively in Japan and in several European countries. It has been estimated that one whale produces as much meat as 100 head of cattle . . . Research has produced a new cream said to remove ink, glue, lipstick, grease, and nicotine stains from the hands and face. Manufacturers expect to find a market for the product among stenographers and other office workers.

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★ BRIGHT TIMES—It may be a reflection of happy times, but business surveys show that people want bright-colored cars nowadays. Only 10 percent of the autos sold last year were black, compared with 26 percent in 1941 . . . In addition, if you'd like to change your car's color as you do your disposition, just patented is a car body made of two transparent layers. You fill the space with a colored liquid, and switch it as often as you wish . . . In these good new days, the average housewife, by pushing buttons and flipping switches in her home, commands 65 h.p. a day to work for her. That's the equivalent of the muscle work of 1430 men—or that many servants, besides her husband.

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THIS IS RELIEF—There are juke boxes, and juke boxes. There is one in a church in Harrison, N. J., (looks just like the one in the town tavern) —only it plays nothing but hymns, psalms and short sermons. For free, to anyone who enters the church . . . On the other hand, from once gay Vienna comes the report that the Hungarian Communist newspaper has branded guitars, banjos and mandolins as "reactionary instruments" and demanded that they be outlawed from all orchestras.

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★ EASIER FOR YOU—The trend toward push-button housekeeping will increase during the next 10 years, according to the research department of a midwest manufacturer. The company foresees automatic control of windows, doors, lights, radio and television sets, as well as heating and air conditioning . . . If you're married, earning $5000 a year, **and have no exemptions for children, you** have to work 34 days a year to pay your Federal income taxes . . . **In 1900 there** was one Federal employee for every 200 persons in private employment, whereas in 1952 there were 10 Federal employees for each 200 in private employment.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

FOR CONSTIPATION, mineral oil is generally considered safer than strong cathartics or purgatives, according to many doctors. However, the taking of mineral oil without consulting the doctor is not without its dangers.

For example, if mineral oil is taken too close to mealtime, it will absorb the vitamin A that is required by the body and normally taken in the diet.

The oil may even cause a deficiency in this vitamin. If mineral oil has to be taken, it should be taken at a time when it doesn't mix with the food, preferably at night.

Mineral oil should also be taken more or less cautiously by older people and should not be given to infants and young children, or put near them.

One of the earliest signs of a vitamin A deficiency is faulty vision in dim light. This vitamin is necessary for producing a substance in the cells of the retina of the eye that adapts the vision to dim light.

People with vitamin A deficiency are bothered by bright lights and have great difficulty in adjusting to dim light. Usually they improve readily when given adequate vitamin A.

As a vitamin A deficiency progresses, the lining membrane of the eye may become dry and scaly.

If the shortage is allowed to progress too far, damage may be done to the cornea—the outer-most, transparent portion of the eye which the light passes through. This part may become hardened and show some permanent changes.

Many older individuals have faulty breathing, and the mineral oil may be inhaled instead of swallowed. This can cause a disease known as fat pneumonia, or lipoid pneumonia, which is very dangerous.

Infants may accidentally get mineral oil in their lungs, and it can cause similar difficulty if it is not given to them with great care.

Constipation is best treated by diet, plenty of fluids and regular habit formation. When temporary help is needed, the doctor may decide on mineral oil as a good substance to use, but his instructions should be followed to the letter.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

M. R.: My nine-year-old daughter is always complaining of a bitter taste in her mouth. What causes this, and what can be done for it?

Answer: The presence of a bitter taste in the mouth may be due to an infection in the teeth, tonsils, nasal sinuses, or throat; also, to constipation or some other digestive disorder. A thorough physical examination by your physician is necessary to determine the exact cause; then proper treatment for the condition may be given.

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Gun-Weilding Youth Is Sought by Posse

KERRVILLE, Tex., April 5 (AP)—A posse of about 80 peace officers, led by Texas Rangers, pushed a search today for a gun-wielding teenager who has had this small town in a state of near hysteria for almost a week.

The young fugitive, believed to be a 19-year-old former inmate of the State Boys Training school, leaves threatening notes addressed to Texas Ranger L. H. Purvis and signs them "The see more kid."

Last night the youth, described as half indian, was surprised in an unoccupied Summer home north of here eating a sandwich.

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AS OFFICERS approached he ran from the house shooting at a pack of four bloodhounds on his trail. Three of the dogs fell dead—one with two bullets in him—and the fourth turned tail and ran.

Seven more bloodhounds were brought in today

Officers said the youth is accused of burglarizing about 40 Summer homes in three counties. In most instances he has changed clothes, eaten food and ransacked the house.

TWO PATROLMEN —

(Continued From Page One)

less than a year.

Chairman Earl R. Strange said the committee probably will name Laghi and Kegel because they seek full time employment.

Kegel, 29, is a graduate of the Pennsylvania Institute of criminology, Philadelphia, where he studied for 42 weeks.

His courses at the school included fingerprinting and identification, criminal investigation, scientific crime detection criminology and penology and criminal law procedure.

An employe of the Boyertown Burial Casket company, he was born in Philadelphia, lived in Haverford township for a number of years, and is married to the former Betty Hafer, Oley.

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THE KEGELS have one son, Kirk Scott, five weeks.

Laghi, 26, is employed by Plumber Joseph H. Hunsicker, 110 Roland street.

After serving in World War II with the Army engineering corps, he entered the Murell-Dobbins Vocational school, Philadelphia, and studied plumbing.

He worked with the General Supply company, West High street, and then was employed by Hunsicker.

He is married to the former Mary Sperat. They have two children, Daniel, 1, and Sandra Ann, 4. He formerly attended Norristown High school.

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KOSLOWSKI, an Army man for 10 years was discharged several months ago after spending eight years overseas.

When he came back to America he brought with him a German war bride and a record as a military policeman.

A graduate of Pottstown High school, he worked at the Doehler Jarvis division before entering the service and has returned to the company upon discharge. At present he is driving a firm truck.

The Rio Grande is the third longest US river.

SALLY'S SALLIES

"If you'd painted the outside of the house first, dear, you wouldn't be in this mess."

SUN BEAMS —

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of gaily dyed hardboiled eggs—prompted a number of picnics in wooded and watered spots.

One family of picnickers considered their Easter "positively summery" — their outdoor meal was attacked by early ants.

Today, however, lower temperatures can be expected. And the conveniently delayed showers are expected to arrive tonight.

Tomorrow, the weatherman warns, Easter bonnets must be packed away for sure—there will be dark clouds, heavy showers and possible thunderstorms.

WOMAN DIES IN CRASH

HARRISBURG, April 5 (AP) — Mrs. Virginia M. Bonones, 24, of Elysburg RD 1, died of a crushed chest today when her automobile struck a tree along Route 22, just outside the Harrisburg city limits.

DRAPER BACK TO TALK

PARIS, April 5 (AP) — William H. Draper Jr., United States special representative in Europe, left for Washington today for legislative hearings on the Mutual Security agency's program for the fiscal year beginning July 1. He was accompanied by several aides.

US Press Group Tours Kremlin

By EUGENE SIMON

MOSCOW, April 5 (AP)—This afternoon at 3:15, a group of smalltown American press and radio representatives walked through a guarded doorway into the Kremlin.

It is a terrific thrill to enter this place that represents so much mystery and has provided so much conjecture for the Western world. It was difficult for me to realize that I—a bourgeois capitalist from Pennsylvania, by Soviet standards—was, actually inside the center of the heart of the Communist world.

Our party was accompanied by three women and one man interpreter, the guides who have been with us on all our tours here. One of these was our interpreter on what proved to be a whirlwind, one hour and 15-minute tour through over 100 rooms and dozens of gigantic halls and tremendous assembly rooms.

As we entered the outer gate of the Kremlin—which in Russian means "fortress on a hill"—we were asked to wait in a tree-lined lane while our guides conferred with guards at the inner wall gate.

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THE ONLY INSTRUCTION received was that no picture taking was permitted. Then we walked through a gate in the tremendous wall that entirely surrounds the buildings and grounds of the 40-acre Kremlin and along a wide street overlooking the southern portion of Moscow. This is on the opposite side of the Kremlin from the famous Red Square where the Stalin-Lenin mausoleum and old St. Basil's Cathedral are located.

After what proved to be a marthon tour got under way, our guide's preliminary sternness relented at the actual humor of wide-eyed Americans rushing through the Kremlin.

During the time inside the Kremlin I saw less than a dozen soldiers—except for one platoon crossing the courtyard—and none was armed.

Hunters' Headless Bodies Found by Search Party

MANILA, Monday, April 6 (AP)—The decapitated bodies of five wild game hunters, believed beheaded by Hongot headhunters, were found Sunday in the jungle of Northern Luzon.

A constabulary report said a civilian-army search team found the bodies near Solano, about 150 miles north of Manila.

HOPE HIGHER —

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words, conciliatory gestures, and eastern overtures for peace."

The observer spoke of Premier Georgi Malekov wiping the slate clean. It wondered whether the move to change the Stalin line arose from reasons of conviction or reasons of expediency. If expediency is the reason, the new bosses of the Kremlin may need to restore morale in Russia and the satellites, ease the stress of the cold war and put the West off guard.

The planet Mercury is rarely seen except in tropical areas.

ALBANIANS PRAY

LONDON, April 5 (AP) — Communist Albania celebrated Easter today with "all churches full to capacity," the official Albanian radio station announced today.

AIR ATTACK TO OPEN

MERCER, April 5 (AP) — A simulated air attack on Meadville, June 3, will open an eight-county civil defense test which officials have tabbed "operation support."

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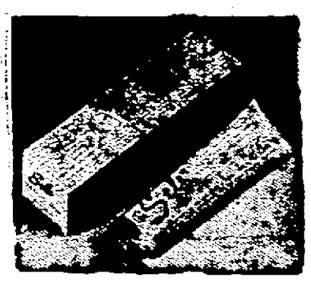

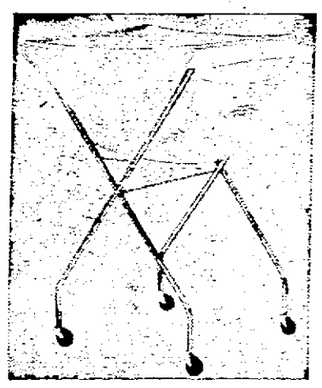

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OBITUARIES

MARY E. (FABER) RUTH, widow of Walker A. Ruth, 322 **MAIN STREET, BIRDSBORO,** died Saturday at her home. She was 67.

Born in Exeter township, she was a daughter of the late Isaac and Martha (Carr) Faber.

She was a member of St. Mark's Lutheran church, Birdsboro.

Surviving her are three children: Blaine and Doris, both at home, and Elma, wife of Henry S. Leahy, Washington, D. C.; two grandchildren; a sister, Lottie, wife of Weston Hilbert, Birdsboro, and a brother, Harry E. Faber, Douglassville RD 1.

Services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 433 East First street, Birdsboro. The Rev. Charles E. Fisher will officiate.

Interment will be in St. Michael's cemetery, Birdsboro.

HELEN M. (SMITH) BATZEL, 55, of **GREEN LANE RD 1,** wife of William Batzel, died in Pottstown hospital Saturday.

She had been a patient at the hospital for the past three weeks with a heart condition. She had been ill for several years.

She was born in Bucks county, near Doylestown, a daughter of the late Theodore and Anna Smith.

She was a member of Frieden's Reformed church, Sumneytown.

Besides her husband she is survived by the following children: Helen M., wife of Wesley Griswold; Pottstown RD 3; William H. Batzel, 128 Sunrise lane; Theodore, 667 Beechwood avenue; Shirley, wife of Harry Berger, Perkiomenville RD 1; Forrest, 1336 High street; Arlene and Caroline, both of Norristown.

Also surviving are five sisters, Ethel Smith, Philadelphia; Anna, wife of Charles Hoffner, Miami, Fla.; Bella, wife of Russell Messner, Philadelphia; Alma, wife of William McNaulty, Philadelphia, and Emma, wife of Max Long, Chester, and seven grandchildren.

Services will be conducted on Wednesday from the Whitemarsh Memorial Park chapel, Whitemarsh township, at 2 p. m.

Officiating will be the Rev Robert A. Haas, pastor of Frieden's Reformed church.

Interment will be in the Whitemarsh cemetery.

HENRY A. DRACE, former Pottstonian who was living in **READING** and a brother of Mrs. Sandella Detwiler, 564 State street, Pottstown, died yesterday morning in Reading hospital. He was 62.

Born in the borough, Mr. Drace lived here until 37 years ago when he moved to Reading. He was a son of Mary (Shane) Drace and the late George M. Drace.

Mr. Drace was employed as a bookkeeper by the American Chain and Cable company, Reading.

He was a member of the Junior Fire company and its home association and the Home association of the Rainbow Fire company in Reading. He was of the Evangelical faith.

Surviving him in addition to his sister are his widow, Elizabeth Irene (Kepner) Drace, at home; his mother, Reading; a daughter, Gladys, wife of James Campbell, Birdsboro RD 2; and two brothers, Howard S. Drace and Frank Drace, both of Reading.

Arrangements for services were incomplete last night. They will be conducted by a funeral home at 243 Penn street Reading.

GILLETTE MARSHALL, 125 **NORTH WASHINGTON STREET,** died Thursday in Philadelphia General hospital. She was 42.

Miss Marshall spent the week previous to her death in the hospital after she suffered a relapse from a recent operation.

She operated a hair dressing business at her home address for the past 12 years. She was a member of the Second Baptist church and of Montgomery Lodge 1271, IBPOE, auxiliary.

Miss Marshall was born in Philadelphia and is the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from a funeral home at 53d and Vine streets, Philadelphia.

The Rev. Heywood L. Butler, pastor of Second Baptist church, will officiate. Interment will be in a Philadelphia cemetery.

ALBERT D. HARTLEY, husband of Ella (Eisenberg) Hartley, **POTTSTOWN RD 1,** died Saturday at his home. He was 85.

Mr. Hartley lived at his last address for 55 years. He was born in Centerville, the son of the late Isaiah and Mary Ellen (Rankin) Hartley.

He was a retired school teacher. Mr. Hartley taught in Hubertsville, Marlton and New Brunswick, N. J., and at Chester High school.

He was a graduate of West Chester Normal school and Haverford college. He received a master's degree at Harvard university and did further study at the University of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Hartley was a member of Broadway Methodist church, Camden, N. J.; a charter member of Point Pleasant F and AM, N. J., and a charter member of Penn Lodge 709, F and AM, Chester.

His widow is his only survivor.

Services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home in Parkerford. The Rev. Howard D. Keiper, pastor of Coventry Church of the Brethren, will officiate.

Interment will be in Fernwood cemetery, Royersford.

Funeral services for **WILLIAM H. FLEMING, GLEN MOORE,** were held at his residence Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in Fairview Presbyterian cemetery. The Rev. Robert E. Rea, pastor-elect of Fairview Presbyterian church of Glen Moore, officiated.

Bearers were George and John Fleming, Edward Beam, Ernest Phillips, Donald Furlong and George Lindsey.

Funeral services for **MARY V. (LUDWIG) HOLLOWAY,** wife of the late J. Calvin Holloway, Amityville, were held Saturday from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street at the convenience of the family.

Interment was in St Paul's Cemetery, Amityville. Officiating was the Rev. William H. Solly, pastor of St Paul's Reformed church, Amityville. Bearers were Roscoe Rhoads, Everett Ludwig, William March and Clark Breidenbach.

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QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds

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N. Y. PARADE —

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used to attract attention to the hats above them, rather than than vice versa. But most of these young ladies were models of decorum, as well as of hats.

No press agents trailed them, as in the past, whispering the name of the hat or dress designer to every ear that looked like a newspaper or magazine writer's.

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THE POLICE demonstrated their new technique on a Bronx woman who apparently hadn't heard about the new rules for Easter parading.

Her hat had a bird cage with a live bird in the center. Around it were small figures showing Christ on the Cross, the Last Supper, the Resurrection, Roman soldiers, pieces of furniture. Easter chicks and an American flag.

A lavender apron bore religious inscriptions, and under them were bands of red, white and blue and the words "God Bless America."

Police got her off Fifth avenue in a hurry.

Malaya Smugglers Prefer Opium Running by 4 Tons

KUALA LUMPUR, April 5 (AP)—Opium was the favorite item of smugglers in Malaya the past year. Nearly four tons of the contraband worth $800,000 were seized by customsmen.

They reported there was a drop in gold-smuggling. But after opium, came tobacco, cosmetics, cameras, watches and other luxuries in order of importance.

All's Not Fun on Easter

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electric shaver.

But Confino isn't too happy about it. And neither are police who are searching for the man who entered the store Friday night by breaking a cellar window with a stone and making off with the items forementioned.

But Confino isn't the only one who ran into trouble over the Easter weekend.

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MRS. ANNA Crystalis, 510 North Adams street, had a nice looking front yard, especially neat-looking for the Easter holiday.

But the yard didn't look so lovely when she woke up on Rabbit Day. The lawn was cut up, about 20 feet of wire fence was knocked down, and the neatly pruned shrubs in the front of the house were badly damaged.

Mrs. Crystalis told police yesterday that the car that ran over her front yard would probably be damaged on the right side. This she deduced from the tracks in the grass and the strewn wreckage.

Then there's the case of 5-year-old Walter Yarnall Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yarnall, Airport road, Limerick.

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WHEN HE awoke on Easter morn, he found that the Harried Hare of Oxen Proportions had left him a basket full of brilliant eggs.

Overjoyed, the youngster danced with glee. At 8 a. m., however, Walter reached up to put his basket on the kitchen table for safekeeping until after church services.

But he miscalculated, and a pot of boiling coffee streamed over him.

He was brought to Memorial hospital where he was treated for first and second degree burns of the arms.

A Boyertown man, who's been through the "holidare" many times, didn't lose his head over the festivities.

But he did lose the tip of a finger. Warren Kriebel, 39, Boyertown RD 2, was dutifully cutting his lawn yesterday. He bent down to make an adjustment on his power moder when . . . ZING!

Officials at Memorial hospital said the cut required three stitches to close.

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GEORGE SHEFFEY, 506 North Hanover street, isn't too happy about the weekend, either. His son parked his sparkling bicycle outside the house Saturday night.

He woke up early Sunday morning to visit his friends and see what the golden egg deal was. He zipped down the stairs, screeched around the corner, and hopped onto . . .

The boy's father told police an hour later that the bike was maroon and had white fenders.

FALL KILLS BOY

YORK, April 5 (AP)—Two-year-old Jeffry Lee Beck was killed Saturday when he fell from a moving automobile operated by his mother, Mrs. Charles Beck, along Route 111, near here.

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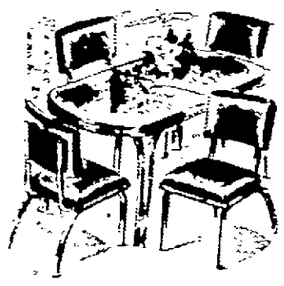

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Easter Season Fades Away

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season yesterday.

But the blue sky overhead and the sun satisfied even the cynic.

Persons who hadn't been out since Christmas came out of hibernation.

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IN THE SUNLIGHT and the gaiety neighbors who hadn't spoken for days buried the hatchet—at least for the day.

From noon to 6 p. m. the mercury hovered in the high 50s. Thermometers recorded a high of 61 at 3 o'clock, and abruptly dropped below the 60 mark.

On every highway leading to and from the borough, ribbons of Easter cars choked the normal flow of traffic.

And on the railroad and bus lines patrons pushed for space. It was a day of travel and bustle and for some it was day of somber reflection.

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IN CHURCHES clergymen asked for a rebirth of the spirit of Christ. They prayed that the Easter dawn would prove the advent of a new and peaceful era among the nations of the world.

They prayed for the end of conflict in Korea and for the cooperation of all nations toward the goal of peace.

Despite the heavy traffic accidents were light. State police at the Reading, Paoli and Jeffersonville barracks reported heavy traffic on all main highways.

Paul Weidensaul, Reading company passenger agent, reported last night an increase of 60 to 70 percent in the use of the passenger trains.

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A STEADY LINE of patrons filed past the windows to seek information and tickets.

The 6:35 p. m. train, out of Pottsville and heading for Philadelphia trailed 13 coaches. Normally it has seven coaches.

A special train was run out of Reading at 8:15 and arrived in Pottstown at 8:45, Philadelphia bound, with a flurry of passengers hustling to seats in nine coaches.

The regular 8:24 train out of Reading arrived at 8:53 with 11 coaches. Weidensaul, who works at the Pottstown station every Sunday, was busier yesterday than on any Sunday during the past 12 months.

Floyd Dudley, one of the two bus drivers working the late shift for the Pottstown Rapid Transit company, reported, "Been pretty busy. I'd say our business has increased about 10 percent."

On the Murphy Bus line, with offices in Pottstown and Boyertown, on the Schuylkill Valley Bus line, Norristown, which runs in Collegeville and Trappe, the Perkiomen Valley Bus line, out of Red Hill into Boyertown and Allentown, and on the Werner Bus line, Phoenixville through Spring City and Royersford and into Pottstown, buses carried heavy loads of Easter visitors.

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NEARLY 2300 persons crowded into Emmanuel Lutheran church in a day of record church attendance.

At Trinity Evangelical Congregational church parishioners made the Rev. Donald T. Floyd's last Easter in Pottstown a memorable one.

Five-hundred and seventy-five persons, twice the attendance at his first Easter in the borough eight years ago, crowded pews of the 280 Walnut street church.

It took 100 extra chairs at Trinity Reformed church to handle the overflow morning worship attendance.

THERE WERE many bright colors in the Easter parade and the spotlight as on any other Easter was focused on feminine chapeaux.

There were purple, yellow, gold, green, orange, red, blue and brown hats. Some looked like bird nests, some like bird houses and some like damaged tea kettles.

The male's sole claim to originality was a fresh tie. Some men sported new suits, but many others joined the parade in Winter's faded outfits.

After the ham, the hard boiled eggs and sweet Easter candy, egg nog proved a solvent and aided digestion.

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THERE WERE flowers at home and in church. The daffodil, the lily, the tulip and hyacinth prevailed.

Tomorrow fathers and mothers will go back to the old grind until another holiday. Some juniors will be granted a reprieve. Public schools will reopen on Wednesday but Parochial schools will resume classes tomorrow.

Only fond memories, clothes, gifts and half-eaten candy remain from Easter 1953.

Area Soldier Returns Aboard USNS Weigle

A Pottstown area soldier was among the thousands of servicemen who returned from the Far East aboard the USNS Weigle Thursday.

The man was Pfc. R. J. Purcell, Oxford RD 2. The transport docked in New York City.

Briton Leaps to His Death When Slide Kills Fiance

CHAMONIX, France, April 5 (AP)—A 30-year-old Briton spending an Easter holiday here with his Scottish fiance was driven to despair today when he learned that she had died in an avalanche. The lover, Edward S. Simpson, leaped to his death from a 75-foot high rock.

Simpson's 27-year-old companion, Miss Elizabeth Bannermann Wood of Aberdeen, fell into a crevice at 2700 feet, and was smothered by an avalanche of snow.

Aurochs, the extinct primitive wild cattle of Europe sometimes stood six feet at the shoulder.

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SPRING BONNETS, suits and light coats stole the spotlight in the Easter Parade in Pottstown yesterday. At far left, from left, Sandy Pudhine, 429 Cherry street, and Dorothy and Barbara Jean Wayock, 450 Cherry street, take a neighborly stroll. In the next panel, sisters Linda and Sandy Morrell show off their matching checked coats and beflowered straw bonnets. Mother and daughter are featured in the center right panel, depicting Mrs. Joseph Bishop, Gilbertsville RD 1, walking to church with daughter Nancy Jo. A masculine style note—in the form of young Stephen Brendlinger—is injected between Mrs. Howard Griswald and Bessie Brendlinger in the picture at the far right. To match the blossoms on her bonnet, Mrs. Brendlinger pinned fresh flowers to the shoulder of her light Easter suit.

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OFF TO SHOW-OFF their Easter outfits Phyllis Swavely, left, and Sandy Bishop, right, both of Gilbertsville RD 1, pause before a stone wall to smile their Springiest smiles for the cameraman. Phyllis chose a light colored, tailored suit with tiny buttons and wing lapels for her Easter Sunday costume. Her flowered hat sits on the back of her dark, curly hair. Over a spring frock of tiny checked taffeta, Sandy tossed a light-weight shorty coat with a single button. Her tiny, flowery bonnet tilts with her brunet waves and features a tiny eyelash veil.

Pottstown Parades Its Easter Finery After Church

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THREE GENERATIONS of Baylors pause in their Spring costumes as they head for Easter morning church services. From left, they are Nancy, Mrs. Charles A. and Marcia, all modeling Easter toppers and Easter hats.

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MORNING STROLLERS after Easter services yesterday are, from left, Linda Huels and Mrs. Harold Huels, 110 Sunrise lane, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lutz, Douglassville RD 1. Mrs. Huels and Mrs. Lutz prove that dark shades in suits and coats are fashionable for Easter, 1953, and small Linda shows off her small ribboned cloche hat, worn with a princess-style, double breasted chesterfield coat.

Virginia Nagle's Engagement Is Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Nagle, 376 North Franklin street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia.

Virginia Nagle is betrothed to Eugene O. Rhoads. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Rhoads.

Both are graduates of Pottstown High school. Miss Nagle is a practical nurse.

Her fiance is an employe of Spicer Manufacturing company.

Golden Agers to Model Easter Bonnets Today

Golden Age club members will model Easter bonnets in a competition that will highlight the 2 p. m. meeting today in the YWCA gymnasium.

Among the prizes to be awarded will be a special one marked for the winner in the "men only" division.

Sponsored by the recreation committee, the Golden Age club is open to anyone who has reached his or her 60th birthday.

Hostesses for the weekly meetings are members of the Business and Professional Women's clubs.

Brownies Hunt Easter Eggs Aboard Skates

Eggs were hunted at a roller skating party Saturday of Brownie troop 23.

First Presbyterian girls gathered at Ringing Rocks park to look for Easter eggs.

Gold stars were stuck on three eggs. Finders of the lucky ovals were Gail Schneider, Jo-Ann Schumacher and Susan Whisler.

Brownie Scouting equipment was awarded to the three winners. Skating followed the search by Brownies: Jeanette Christman, Cynthia Griffiths, Diane Kendig, Jeanne Marcy, Peggy Missimer, Barbara Mohler and JoAnne Schumacher.

Mary Rowland, Annette, Kathryn and Margaret Irene Sunsenig, Anita Sorg, Kaaren Stauffer, Christina Welch, Susan Williams and Susan Whisler.

Mary Jo Zukoski, Helen Clair Frederick, Gail Schneider, Olga Symanovich and Jane Keene.

Leaders were Helen Spangenberg, Mary Kellar, Doris Maimone and Mrs. Joseph Zukoski, member of the troop committee.

Mrs. C. B. Welch, troop committee chairman, provided transportation for the group.

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Polkinhorns Celebrate Golden Wedding

"Just sniff at superstitions and you'll celebrate your Golden Wedding," laugh Mr. and Mrs. Harry Polkinhorn, Bechtelsville RD 1, who did it.

With their family gathered around them at their 50th Wedding anniversary party Saturday, the Polkinhorns looked back at their marriage day.

"It was pouring rain and gloomy," recalled Mrs. Polkinhorn, "and that was supposed to be unlucky. Well, we've certainly blasted that one."

Moreover, exactly 13 persons were seated at their wedding table and without a single ominous result.

Instead of relying on luck, the Polkinhorns find the formula for a successful marriage is to "go along and get along—take and give."

They were married April 4, 1903 by the Rev. L. J. Bichel at a ceremony in the Pottstown home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dedert.

Mr. Polkinhorn is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Polkinhorn, Boyertown.

Her wedding gown, remembers Mrs. Polkinhorn, was navy blue with white trimming, and she wore a corsage of white carnations.

It was three months after the service that they finally got around to the honeymoon—a trip to New York.

The couple met at Sanatoga Park, and courted for about 18 months before they were wed.

They started out housekeeping in Stowe, but Mr. Polkinhorn's iron work kept them traveling, and they have resided from Canada to Florida and in most of the states of the Union.

Mr. Polkinhorn was among the first workers — a structural steel man — at McClintic-Marshall, the forerunner of Bethlehem Steel company here.

He joined the firm in its first year here — 1901 — and helped assemble the first steel delivered to the New York shipyard.

In 1902 he went "on the road" for the company, and continued "on the road" for it, even after it became Bethlehem Steel. He retired in 1944 as a steel erection foreman.

Among the structures of which he is proudest is the Cooper River bridge in Charleston, S. C. Most of his work, however, was for war production in shipyards and arsenals.

Mr. Polkinhorn is 74. His wife—at 68—smiles "yes, he certainly robbed the cradle when he married me."

The pair celebrated the anniversary with a party at Bechtelsville's Washington house.

Fifty yellow roses beneath a pair of golden wedding rings and two gold bells centered the table, and tiny bells were given as favors. Attending the affair were 26 relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Polkinhorn have four children: Edward in Willow Grove, Raymond in Pottstown, Helen Darrels in Norfolk, Va., and Edna Schosser in Baltimore.

They count 14 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Both are active in Lutheran church work and belong to the male and female divisions, respectively, of the Moose.

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MR. AND MRS. HARRY POLKINHORN

Pine Forge School Kids Hunt for Eggs After an Easter Program

Eggs were hidden in and hunted for on Pine Forge school's playground after Grades One through Four presented an Easter program.

Finders of the special gold and silver eggs were awarded prizes by the hunt's sponsors, the PTA.

Winners were: Patty Rhoads and David Stauffer, Grades One and Two; James Egolf and William Faithful, Grades Three and Four; Todd Bowers and Manford Klutschkowski, Grades Five and Six; Charles Dunn and James Birmingham, Grades Seven and Eight.

Included on the program were: recitation, "Welcome," by David Harner; hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross," Grades One and Two and "Easter Lights," Carol Henson.

"Here Comes Peter Cottontail," Grades One and Two; "What Did You Say?", Patty Bush; "Rain," Robert Roshon; "Sunbeams," Sandra Rhoads; and "Easter Greeting," Shirley Neilson.

"Broadcasting" by Glenn Weaver; "Easter Parade," Grades One and Two; "With Banners of Blossoms" by Dianne Schaeffer, Carol Dengler and Elizabeth Baker.

"At Eastertime," Joan Krauss; "Easter," James Egolf; "Tell Me Your Story," Lynn Weiss and Sandra Salaneck; "Easter Message," Janet Linsinbigler; "Eastertime," Shirley Krauss.

"An Acorn" girls of Grades Three and Four; "Easter Eggs," Sandra Salaneck; "Easter Angels," Carrol Dengler, and "Carry Your Cross With a Smile" by pupils of Grades Three and Four.

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MEMORIAL

Admitted: Larry Gantt, Prospect and Willow streets, medical; Howard Barclay Jr., 14 North Main street, Spring City, medical; Mrs. Agnes Slaby, 416 East Vine street, Stowe, maternity; Marie Strycharz, Pottstown RD 1, surgical; Mrs. Dorothy Gingrich, 238 Beech street, maternity; Rena Myers, 552 King street, medical; Dorothy Stoudt, Pottstown RD 3, medical; Warren Kriebel, Boyertown RD 2, surgical; Barbara Crowther, Swarthmore, surgical; Jeanette Shumat, Pottstown Star route, surgical; Lester Rothenberger, New Berlinville, medical; Paul Davis, Phoenixville, medical.

Discharged: Earl Benz, 343 High street, surgical; Mabel Brendlinger Pottstown RD 4, medical; Dolores Cobb, Pine Forge, surgical; Mrs. Lily Cooney, 321 Glasgow street, Stowe, maternity; Grover Dievers, Norristown, surgical; Jacob Fisher, 415 Howard street, Stowe, surgical; Janis Frankenberg, Limerick, medical; Sandra Getek, Schwenksville RD 1, surgical; Mrs. Sue Gimont, 427 South street, maternity; Betty Hedrick, Spring City RD 1, medical; Mrs. Martha Kline, 409½ Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, maternity; Mrs. Rose Meyers, Obelisk, maternity; Robert Ochel-tree, Royersford RD 1, surgical; Jack Reagan, 62 West Eighth street, surgical; Jean Shadler, Boyertown RD 2, medical; William Snyder Jr., 417 Howard street, Stowe, surgical; Mattie Williams, 415 Elm street, Stowe, medical; Dennis Bolognese, 380 High street, surgical; Mrs. Isabel Carl, Schwenksville, maternity; Mrs. Sylvia Cohen, 20 North Charlotte street, maternity; Linda DeArmitt, 148 Walnut street, medical; Barbara Galloway, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; Russell Miller, Boyertown RD 1, surgical; Francis Ploppert, 435 Chestnut street, surgical.

Admitted and Discharged: William and Robert Kichline, Pottstown RD 4, surgical; John Lynch, Birdsboro, surgical.

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Admitted: Mrs. Jean Markle, Douglassville RD 2, maternity; Pamela MacBurnie, Hill Church road, Spring City, medical; Mamie Rhoads, Pottstown RD 4, medical; Diane Moser, Gilbertsville, surgical; Leona Rambo, 548 Washington street, Royersford, medical; Sara Witman, Bally, medical; Mrs. Julia Wozniewicz, Jackson and Isabella streets, maternity; Samuel Minnerly, Schwenksville, surgical; Philip Ellis, 220 North Warren street, medical; Mrs. Anna Erb, Boyertown RD 1, maternity; Olga Wensel, Boyertown RD 1, surgical.

Discharged: John Seasholtz, 244 West King street, medical; Elwood Carr, 22 North Hanover street, medical; John Matthews, 226 Walnut street, surgical; Harry Kul-

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-:- WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING -:-

— Social Calendar —

TODAY

Golden Age club—meets at 2 p. m. in the YWCA gymnasium.

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Square Dance club—meets at 8 p. m. in the YMCA.

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Women's guild of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church — reception for new church members at 8 p. m. in the church basement.

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Golden Rule class of First Baptist church—meets at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mary Jane Detterer, 894 North Evans street.

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Deb-Aides of Pottstown hospital—Bunny Hop dance at 8:30 p. m. in the Armory.

First Baptist trustees—meet at 7 p. m. in the church office.

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Brownie troop 29—meets at 4 p. m. in Emmanuel Lutheran church.

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Ladies Bible class of Emmanuel Lutheran church—covered dish supper at 6:30 p. m. in the church.

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Grace Lutheran church junior choir—Easter egg hunt at 2 p. m. in the church.

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Brownies of St. James Lutheran church—meet at 3:45 p. m. in the church.

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Senior and Intermediate Luther leagues—joint meeting at 7:30 p. m. in St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown.

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League of St. Andrew—meets at 7:15 p. m. in Transfiguration Lutheran church.

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Girl Scout troop 5—meets at 4 p. m. in the First Presbyterian church.

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Woman's club of Christ Episcopal church—meets at 8 p. m. in the church.

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Girl Scouts of St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe—meet at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

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Business Girls club — progressive dinner begins at 6:30 p. m. from the YWCA.

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Pottstown hospital Junior auxiliary meets at 8 p. m. in the nurses' home.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Today

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Kulp, 1034 South street, 41 years.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Seyler, 625 Glasgow street, 38 years.

Deb-Aides, Beaux Will Dance at Bunny Hop

Deb-Aides and their beaux tonight will dance to Sherwood Yergey's music at the Easter Bunny Hop in the Armory.

The Spring dance, for which street dress is in order, will last from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m.

Georgeann Jacobs is chairman for the Pottstown hospital group's affair, and Jonnelle Tascione is in charge of the rabbity decorations.

Thursday Meeting Of WCTU to Stress Legislative Work

How legislation can aid the temperance cause will be stressed at the WCTU meeting Thursday at 2 p. m. in the First Baptist Philathea classroom.

Anna Nagle will lead devotions with the theme, "We Build Our Altar," and Mrs. W. F. Maloney will review a chapter of the study book, "Alcoholism or Abstinence."

Six delegates, who plan to attend the WCTU legislative field day tomorrow in Harrisburg's Zembo mosque, will report on the event.

The field day, at which 1500 non-drinkers are expected, will be addressed by Gov. John S. Fine and other politicians.

At the meeting Thursday, President Laura R. Ecker will conduct a white ribbon recruit service for youngsters under six, and will collect knitted squares for a laprobe to be sent to Coatesville Veterans hospital.

St. John's New Members To Attend a Reception

New members of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church will be introduced to the congregation at a reception tonight.

Sponsoring the affair at 8 p. m. in the church basement will be members of the church's women's guild.

Century Club Library Committee Reveals Panel for Wednesday

Library committee of Century club has planned Wednesday's program. Book quizing by a panel of members will begin at 2:15 p. m. in Library hall.

Moderating "Pages from a Book" program will be Mrs. Clarence Yocum.

Members of the panel will include: Mrs. Harry Christman, Mrs. William Hoard, Mrs. Donald Knauer, Helen Purnell and Mrs. Robert Weller.

Guests will be Mrs. Donald Cochran, Mrs. John Frantz, Mrs. Charles Lepperd and Mrs. Kenneth Nichols.

Led by chairman Helen V. Purnell, members of the committee are: Mrs. Walter Edwards, Mrs. Jesse Evans, Elizabeth Gudebrod and Mrs. C. W. Hancox.

Mrs. Jack Hoffman, Mrs. Donald Knauer, Mrs. John Ruffin Jr., LaRue Templin, Mrs. Wynn Templin and Mrs. Clarence Yocum.

Square Dancers to Meet In YMCA at 8 o'Clock

"Swing your partner" and "now two steps back" will be among the calls filling the YMCA tonight at the weekly Square Dance club meeting.

Bill Morrell will call the dances for the meeting from 8 to 10 p. m. and it will be open to all the area's young adult set.

Co-sponsors of the weekly dances are the Pottstown Recreation commission and the YMCA.

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R. Reightneours Hold Party in Douglassville Home for Friends Of Daughter, Jo Anne, to Celebrate Her Birthday Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reightneour, Douglassville, honored their daughter's birthday anniversary by inviting her friends to their home.

Jo Anne was guest of honor at the party and played hostess to her friends and relatives

Guests present were. Larry Reightneour, Ruth Weidner and Wendy, Betty Spohn, Jo and Susan Spohn, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Eckenrod, Donna and Wendy.

Mr and Mrs Al Yocom, Joan and Albert, Janice McCrudden and John Michael, Mrs David Wunderlich, Doris and Anna Mea Wunderlich, Linda Cook Karen Jones and Paulette Stuart

Livingroom of Bridegroom's Home Is Nuptial Scene For Rites Uniting Phyllis E. Clark, Charles Mest

In the livingroom of her benedict's home, Phyllis Elisabeth Clark exchanged wedding vows with Charles Alton Mest Saturday evening

Mr and Mrs. Wilbur Clark, Douglassville RD 2, are the bride's parents. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs. Joseph Henry Mest, Pottstown RD 4

Yellow forsythia gleamed in candlelight to form a background for the ceremony, read before an open Bible by the glow of a candle lamp

Performing the single ring service was the Rev Ralph Frey, pastor of the First Church of the Brethren Forty persons were present.

Music during the ceremony included the Bridal March, "I Love You Truly," "O Promise Me" and "Because"

Blue was the color chosen by the bride for her ballerina length wedding gown Its lace bodice was divided from the bouffant skirt with a matching belt.

Pale pink net filled the illusion neckline and was finished with a peter pan collar

Her pink shell hat, which matched her rose colored slippers, was circled with blue forget me nots, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Mest home, at which the groom's mother received wearing a street length gown of orchid, coat style

Her gown was adorned with jeweled lapel buttons and a corsage of roses

The couple will make their home on Pottstown RD 4.

The bride studied at Amityville High school and her husband studied at schools in Pottstown He is employed by the Levitz company

Guests attended the wedding from Boyertown, Linfield and Royersford.

Birthday Congratulations From The Mercury

TODAY'S HOROSCOPE

THE time is good for asking important favors, so be alert to every opportunity A happy and fortunate year seems ahead of you A career in art or music should bring success to the child born under these influences.

Today

Mrs Mary Griffiths, 918 High street

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Joseph Rutter son of Mr and Mrs J Ralph Rutter, 109 Mt Zion avenue Hanover Heights

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Daniel Davis son of Mr and Mrs Daniel Davis, Box 182, RD 2

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Kenneth C Yoder, 208 River road, South Pottstown

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Mrs Elmer Coristman 545 North Charlotte street

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Michael Borowy, 231 South Washington street

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Melvin Olock son of Mr and Mrs John Olock, 258 Berks street Stowe

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Mrs Naomi Stetler 318 Ash street Stowe

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Mrs William Rankin, 358 West Chestnut street

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Lloyd Stauffer, Douglassville RD 2.

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Dorothy Gable, Royersford.

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Mrs Carrie Tinney, 414 King street Spring City

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Joseph Czeriner, 267 North York street

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Mrs Gloria Fizz Quinter street, Stowe

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George Harberger Perry Point Veterans Administration hospital, Perryville, Md

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John Flisock son of Mr and Mrs Peter Flisock, 420 East Vine street, Stowe

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Carol Flisock, daughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Flisock, 128 West Sixth street, six years

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George (Chippy) Wavock son of Mr and Mrs George Wavock 619 Spruce street three years

Mrs H Wambach Jr, Box 310, RD 2

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Janet Hoffman daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Hoffman, Pottstown RD 4

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Joe Rutter — Jackie Flisock

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Joseph A Breslawski, 667 Beechwood avenue

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Barry Wadsworth, Boyertown RD 2

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Joseph A Breslawski — William Dillman

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Bill Dillman, son of Mr and Mrs William A Dillman 1251 Maple street

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Robert Lanz son of Mr and Mrs George Lanz, 631 East Vine street, Stowe

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Danny Davis, Pottstown RD 2

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Edward Stefanski Pottstown RD 4

Yesterday

Donna Carol Kuterbach, daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward Kuterbach 5 Chestnut street

JWVA Women Hold Holiday Party at Coatesville Hospital Vets

JWVA women entertained patients at Valley Forge hospital with a party last night

Spring flowers decorated the tables, daffodils and hyacinth, and centering the decor was a 25 pound holiday egg

Passover macaroons were served, as well as cake, fruit and coffee and about 75 persons attended the affair

Mrs David Alexandre performed on the piano, and card games and chats were featured entertainment.

Among the entertainers were Mrs Samuel Brummer, hospital chairman, Mrs Morton Schoenberger, Pearl Printz, Mrs Frank Zevon Mrs Alvin Weiss, Mrs David Kessler

Mrs Charles Leifer Mrs Samuel Fuerman Mrs Harry Hoffman, Mrs Jarold Katzen Mrs Robert Hyzdu, Mrs Paul Gross and Mrs Phillip Raden

Geigertown 4-H Girls Hold Meeting

The Geigertown 4-H club met at the home of Mrs June Wickizer

Those present were the leaders Mildred Shirey and June Wickizer

Members present were Joy Wickizer, Shirley Cooper Anna Davidheiser Doris Burkhart, Sarah Mountz Jessie Heckman Joan Trate Hazel Trate Janice Yoder, Gladys Shire and Jill Wickizer

Saturday worked on the camp fund

Members working were Joy Wickizer, Shirley Cooper, Anna Davidheiser Doris Burkhart, Janice Yoder, Jessie Heckman, Joan Trate and Hazel Trate

Gladys Shirey Mary Hughes, Eleanor Huffert and Jill Wickizer Ellen Trate assisted the leaders

Poppy seeds are grown in France to produce salad oil rather than narcotics

Pastor Krouse Baptizes Five Girls at Emmanuel

The Rev Dr Luther Krouse baptized five girls at the Emmanuel Lutheran church yesterday morning

Christened were Terry Lee Davidheiser daughter of Mr and Mrs Marvin C Davidheiser 829 Charlotte street Diane Marie Rhoades daughter of Mr and Mrs James Rhoades State College Pa

Elaine K Sharon daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward H Sharon, 26 Walnut street Harriet Irene McElroy, daughter of Mr and Mrs Harry McElroy 330 King street, and Janice Elaine Bechtel daughter of Mr and Mrs Carl N Bechtel 8 West Eighth street.

HOSPITALS

(Continued From Page Nine)

cycle Pottstown RD 1, surgical Albert Savior Royersford RD 1 medical Stephen Chermesky, 360 Apple street, surgical, Mrs Shirley McElroy, Pottstown RD 2 maternity, Mark Simkins Sixth and Pine streets, Royersford surgical, Wayne Beekman Boyertown RD 1, surgical; Mrs Fay Rader, Bechtelsville, maternity, Ella Morris 101 King street medical, Sadie Swavely, 509 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, surgical Gertrude Kilpatrick, Gilbertsville RD surgical, Pauline Bridegam, 345 West King street, surgical Andrew Kilpatrick, Gilbertsville RD surgical, Mrs Esther Shaner Pottstown Star route, maternity Mrs Mercy Petrick, 21 East Seventh street, maternity, Minnie Shelton Company Farms RD 1, medical Mrs Marjorie Schaeffer 455 South Reading avenue, Boyertown, maternity, Arnold Mina and Randall Prince 15 South Keim street, surgical, Mrs Thelma Wisler, 412 New street Spring City maternity, Doris Levengood 70 Beech street, medical, Mrs Vivian Stercula Road 4 Hilldale maternity, Howard Porter 804 Queen street surgical John Matthews 226 Walnut street Stowe, surgical

Admitted and Discharged Peter Wise Pottstown RD 2 surgical, Titus Kurtz Elverson RD 2 surgical

Golden Rule Class Will Elect Officers Tonight

Election of officers heads the agenda for tonight's meeting of the Golden Rule class of the First Baptist church

Hostess for the gathering, scheduled to begin at 7 30 p m will be Mary Jane Detterer 894 North Evans street.

Besides balloting on new executives the members will work on scrapbooks for the hospitals

BIRTHS

Mr and Mrs Edward Slaby, 416 East Vine street, Stowe, became the parents of a daughter Saturday She was delivered in Memorial hospital

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Sunday a son was born to Mr and Mrs Robert Gingrich 238 Beech street, in Memorial hospital

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Douglassville RD 2 residents Mr and Mrs William Markle gave birth to a girl in Pottstown hospital

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A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs Paul Sands, Gilbertsville, in Pottstown hospital

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Adding one to Boyertown's census roll, a daughter joined the family of Mr and Mrs Walter P Erb Boyertown RD 1 Birth occurred in Pottstown hospital

Marriage Licenses

Application for Marriage License made in Berks County Courthouse Reading

Carl S Hartman Boyertown and Janet Marie Rothenberger New Berlinville

Paschal I Gehringer, Bally and Angela Kehs Barto

CHILD IS BAPTIZED

David Lee Swavely, son of Mr and Mrs Irvin Swavely, 944 Queen street, was baptised Sunday morning, by the Rev John L Smoker, pastor of the Baltzell Evangelical United Brethren church.

Searles Mothers to Hide Easter Eggs for Kiddies

Easter eggs will be hidden today by members of Searles Methodist church's Mothers' guild

The hunt will be conducted for the under six years-old set of the church.

Exchange Students Will Speak to Auxiliary

Two exchange students female, will address the Pottstown hospital Junior auxiliary tonight

The meeting is set for 8 30 p m in the nurses home.

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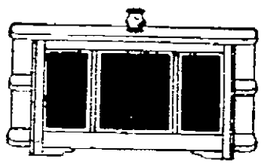

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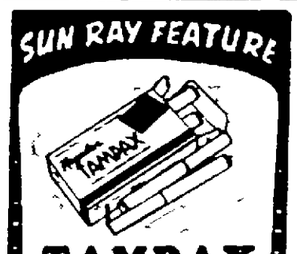

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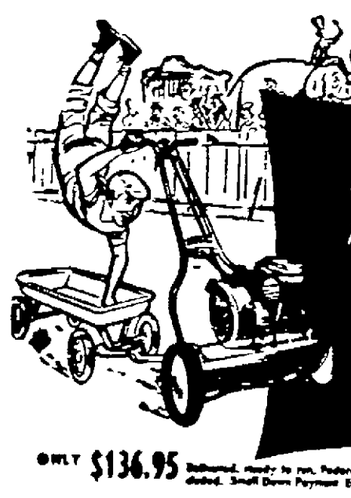

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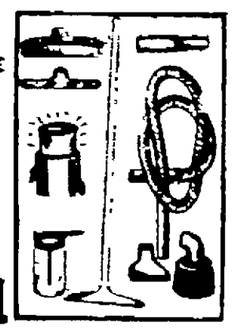

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Baptist Church Receives Eleven New Members

Eleven new members were received into membership in Royersford Baptist church at the close of the morning service yesterday. The Rev. Fred G. Bangs, pastor, administered the rite of baptism by immersion to the following:

Betty and Shirley Powell, Patsy Saylor, Loretta Pence, Faye Sheeler, Betty Bortman, Kenneth Gerges, Howard Frith Jr., Leonard Burke, Amos F. Johnson and Mrs. Vivian Johnson.

4 BROTHERS DROWN

COLOGNE, Germany, April 5 (P) — Four brothers, between eight and 14 years old, drowned today when a raft they had built tilted over in a ten-feet deep hole.

TWO RESIDENTS DIE SUDDENLY OVER WEEKEND

Veterans of World War I Robert Melton, Harry Frederick Succumb

Two Royersford veterans of World War I died unexpectedly over the weekend.

In ill health nearly two months, Robert Lee Melton, 64, of 406 South Third avenue, recipient of the Purple Heart award, died in Phoenixville hospital early Saturday night.

Harry W. Frederick, 403 South Fourth avenue, retired rural mail carrier, died suddenly in his sleep early yesterday morning.

Mr. Melton, who last was employed as a guard by Valley Forge park commission at the famed Washington's Headquarters, was admitted to Phoenixville hospital Friday night for treatment of a nervous condition. He died Saturday about 5:30 p. m.

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HE WAS BORN in Virginia, son of the late George and Judith Melton, but lived in Royersford many years.

During the first World war, after training nine months at Camp Meade, Md., he was sent overseas and fought with the 316th Infantry regiment in the Meuse-Argonne drive, where he was wounded and gassed. He later was awarded the Purple Heart.

He was a member of Capt. Harris Buckwalter American Legion Post 164, Royersford; Royersford Baptist church and the Humane and Friendship Fire companies.

Surviving are his wife, Clara (Kolp) Melton; three brothers, Edward, 349 Chestnut street, Royersford; Walter, West Newton, and Thomas, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Samuel Evans, Baltimore, Md.

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FUNERAL SERVICES will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, Royersford. Interment will be made in Zion's cemetery.

Harry W. Frederick, lifelong resident of this area, and former football player on the old Royersford AC eleven, was apparently in good health when he retired Saturday night. He had passed the afternoon hearing a baseball broadcast in his home. Football and baseball were his hobbies.

Yesterday morning his wife, Mary, found him lifeless in bed about 6:45 o'clock. Death was attributed to a heart condition.

Born in Trappe, son of the late Frank and Anna (Weand) Frederick, he lived in Royersford since a youth. He served with the Motor Transport corps at Camp Holabird, Md., during the first World war.

For 35 years he was employed by the post office department as a rural mail carrier and was retired the past Dec. 1.

He was a member of Royersford Grace Lutheran church, Capt. Harris Buckwalter American Legion post, Vincent Lodge 762 Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Spring City; the Moose lodge, Pottstown, and the National Rural Letter Carriers association.

Surviving are his wife, Mary (Fegley) Frederick, and one sister, Mary W. Frederick, Norristown.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a funeral home at 367 Walnut street, with interment in Fernwood cemetery.

Twin-Boro Classified

Deaths 1

FREDERICK—In Royersford, on Sunday, April 5, 1953, Harry W. Frederick, husband of Mary (Fegley) Frederick. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Nelson Funeral Home Inc., 367 Walnut St., Royersford, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment Fernwood cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening 7 to 9.

MELTON—In Phoenixville hospital on Saturday, April 4, 1953, Robert Lee Melton, husband of Clara (Kolp) Melton, aged 64 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Nelson Funeral Home Inc., 367 Walnut St., Royersford, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment Zion's cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday evening 7 to 9.

RAMBO—In Trappe, Pa., on Thursday, April 2, 1953, William H., husband of Ella (Hunsberger) Rambo. Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the Funeral Home of W. D. Geiser, 600 Washington St., Royersford, on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment Fernwood cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening 7 to 9. (Geiser)

Notice 7-A

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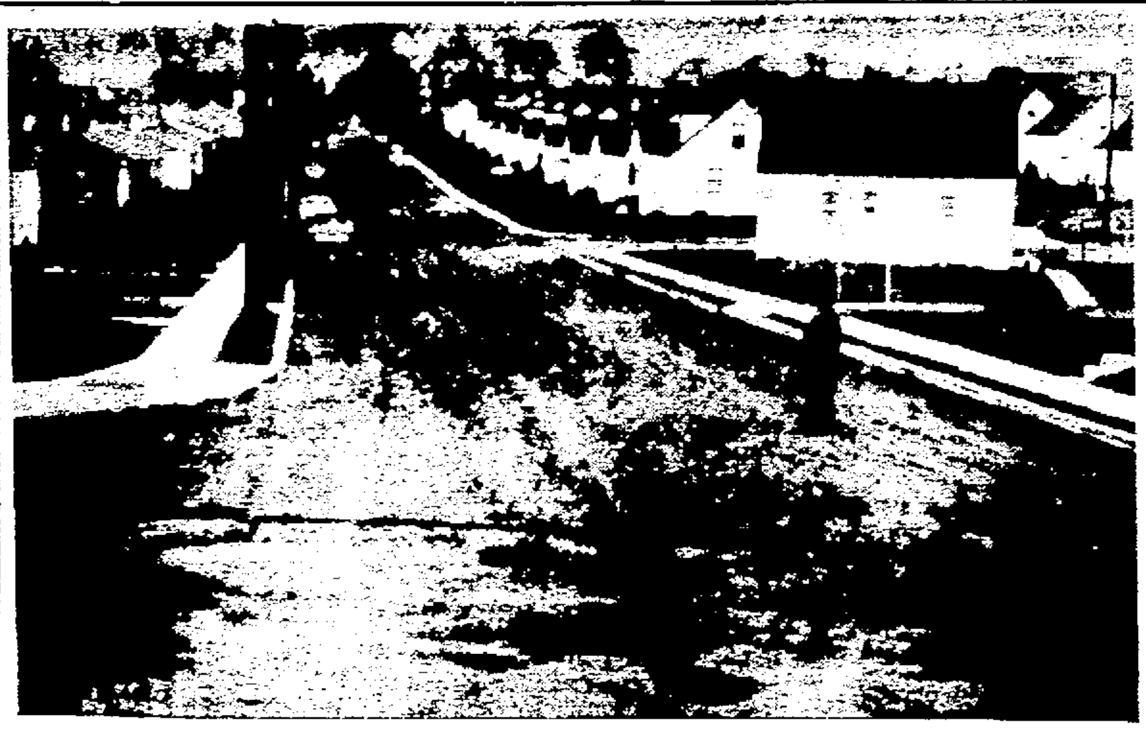

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STREET FINISHED—Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden inspects the smoothly finished surface of Wilson street from Adams to Washington streets. The street construction, contested by 12 homeowners who live along the new street, is the first completed under the administration of Gulden, who came to Pottstown this past Summer. Work was done by E. J. Breneman, Warwick settlement, for approximately $11,000. Judge E. Arnold Forrest ruled against the property owners this past March 20. The 12 contended they did not have to pay for 25 percent of street construction in front of their homes because they had been promised by previous borough officials the street would be constructed free of charge. Under existing law they must pay 25 percent of construction since Wilson street between Adams and Washington streets is a border street across from Pilgrim Hills development.

Church Calendar

Spring City Methodist: Tonight, Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, Junior Bible club; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, Prayer and Bible study; Thursday, 2:15 p. m., Released Time school; Friday night, Boy Scouts.

Royersford Grace Lutheran: Tonight, 7 o'clock, Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 7:30 o'clock, Sunday school association; 8 o'clock, church council; Thursday night, 6:30 o'clock, chapel choir rehearsal; 8 o'clock, senior choir rehearsal; Saturday, 9:30 a. m., Brownies.

Royersford First Evangelical and Reformed: banquet at St. Vincent church; tomorrow night, 7:30 o'clock, reception for new members received since last Palm Sunday in the social hall.

Zion Lutheran: This morning, 8:30 o'clock, Holy Communion; Thursday night, 8 o'clock, choir; Saturday, 9:30 a. m., catechetical class and weekday school; 10:30 a. m., youth choir.

Hospital Notes

Norman Turner, Royersford; Mrs. Charles Mull and Mrs. James Thompson, Spring City RD 1, were discharged from Phoenixville hospital.

July is named for Julius Caesar and August for the Roman emperor, Augustus.

Pottstown Tenor to Sing At University Celebration

A Pottstown youth will participate in a 25th anniversary musical program of Boston university college of music between April 9 and May 18.

William Bliem, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bliem, 1245 North Charlotte street, a Junior at the university, will participate as a tenor in the musical programs.

He is one of 600 students of the college of music who will take part in the celebration.

COUPLE ASKS DAMAGES

WASHINGTON, April 5 (P)—More than $7500 damages was asked Friday by a Greene county couple from two Washington county men in a suit filed in the Washington county court.

Area School District To Hold Open House

Lower Providence school district will have open house tonight and tomorrow night at two four-room additions to two school buildings.

Cost of the additions totals more than $250,000. The work was done on the Henry K. Boyer and Audubon schools.

At tonight's ceremony, Gar S. Wood, president of the board will accept the keys to the Boyer school from a representative of David, Dunlap and Carver, Philadelphia architects who designed the additions.

The keys will be presented between 8 and 10 p. m.

TOMORROW NIGHT, Earl Jamison, a board member, will accept the keys to the Audubon school from a member of the architects' firm.

Members of the school's Parents Teachers association will not meet in April.

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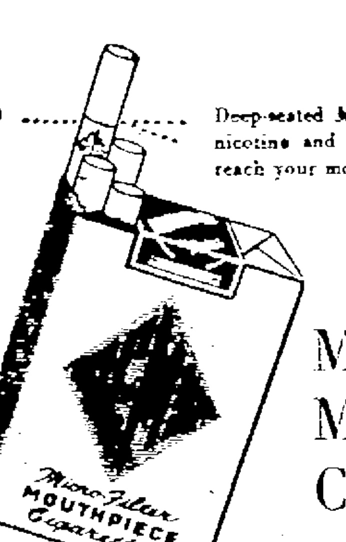
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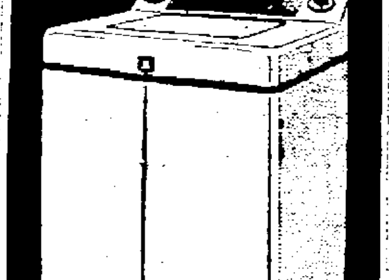
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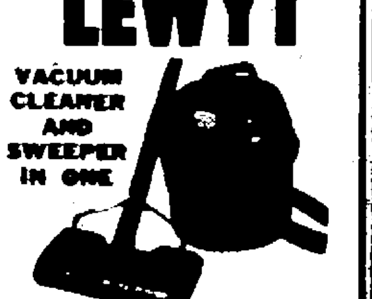
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Easter Lilies Placed in Churches in Memory of Departed

Beautiful potted Easter lilies played important roles yesterday in services conducted in both the Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed and St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown. The lilies were placed there as memoriams for departed loved ones by members of both congregations.

In the Reformed church, they were as follows: In memory of the Rev. Dr. Harold Hafer, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Angstadt; in memory of Emma Kern, presented by Mrs. Lawrence Y. Bartman.

In memory of Martha S. Bechtel, presented by Florence K. Toms and Paul K. Bechtel; in memory of Howard Beck, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beck; in memory of mother and father, presented by Lester B. Berky.

In memory of loved ones, presented by Mrs. Mary Borneman; in memory of Mrs. Jared Bower, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bower; in memory of Mrs. Sara Eddinger, presented by great grandmother Mrs. Dolores Bronecke.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Brooke, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Brooke; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Boyer, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooke; in memory of Mrs. Brumbach, presented by Marion Brumbach; in memory of Mrs. Marion Brumbach, presented by her children.

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IN MEMORY OF Charlie C. Burdan, presented by Mrs. Charlie C. Burdan; in memory of friends, presented by Mr. and Mrs. William Coleman; in memory of Llewellyn H. Custer, presented by Mrs. Clara Custer.

In memory of Alice C. Schneck, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Forest Custer; in memory of Ralph K. Derr, presented by Mrs. Ralph K. Derr and daughter; in memory of daughter Gloria and son Carl, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dotterer and family; in memory of Charles H. Eberly, presented by Mrs. Charles H. Eberly; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eddinger and Ruth.

In memory of Helen Edwards MacColl, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Edwards and the MacColl family; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Emes; in memory of our parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. William Engel.

In memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Franklin E. Evans; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. James Evans and son; in memory of Mae Joanne Frain, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Frain.

In memory of Elva Keller, presented by Mary B. Freed; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Fretz; in memory of my parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bryan, presented by Mrs. Lewis Fry.

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IN MEMORY of Howard Fryer, presented by Mrs. Ivy Fryer; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fulmer and family; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mrs. Annie Fulmer; in memory of Thomas J. Gabel, presented by the Gabel family; in memory of loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Geist.

In memory of Mrs. Ida Gerhart, presented by the Gerhart family; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by William Gottshall family; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Graber.

In memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. John Graver; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Grim; in memory of our grandparents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Haas; in memory of Joseph Haddad, presented by Mrs. Elizabeth Haddad and family; in memory of Rev. Dr. Harold F. Hafer, presented by Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Hafer.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver W. Saboid, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Hafer; in memory of Mrs. Katie B. Harner, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Harner; in memory of John C. Keinert, presented by Jennie S. Hedrick; in memory of John B. Heimbach, presented by Bessie J. Heimbach and mother; in memory of Randolph Henry, father, presented by Mrs. Randolph Henry and Mae Henry.

In memory of sister, Dorothy, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Eli H. Hoch; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mrs. Satter and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hoch; in memory of Earl Fryer, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoffman.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Houck, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde F. Houck; in memory of Lizzie Frederick, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde F. Houck; in memory of sister, Elva Keller, presented by Mrs. Sadie Hummer.

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IN MEMORY OF father, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hunsberger; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mrs. Allen M. Irey; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Johnson; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keely, presented by Mr. and Mrs. William B. Keely; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gabel, presented by Mr. and Mrs. William Keely.

In memory of our parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kershner; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mrs. Fred Koons; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Carlton G. Koons; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Finley G. Koons.

In memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Randall G. Koons; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm G. Koons; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Evan G. Koons; in memory of Fred S. Koons, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Koons; in memory of Ralph Rahn, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krause Jr.

In memory of Harold H. Henry, presented by Mrs. Louis Kruk and children; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Landis.

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IN MEMORY of our parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Landis; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. John G. LeFever; in memory of parents, presented by Mrs. Earl Endy and Mrs. Verna Leidy; in memory of Howard Maurer, presented by Mrs. Francis Maurer; in memory of Sarah Maurer Eickhoff, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Maurer; in memory of Annie Moyer, presented by Charles F. Moyer and family; in memory of Leonard Moyer, presented by his parents, William D. Moyer.

In memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Muthard and family; in memory of our parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Oberholtzer; in memory of our mothers, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Poetter.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Freed, presented by Mrs. Chester S. Rahn; in memory of our son, Ralph, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Rahn; in memory of Mrs. Ella Reider, presented by husband and family; in memory of Harry B. Reiff Sr., presented by wife and sons; in memory of Arrah H. Spohn, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Purnell S. Renninger.

In memory of Edwin M. Rhoads, presented by Mrs. Edwin M. Rhoads; in memory of grandparents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Royer; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Schanely; in memory of Clarence L. Stauffer, presented by Mrs. Clarence L. Stauffer.

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IN MEMORY OF Mrs. Frank Schealer, presented by Frank Schealer and children; in memory of Mrs. William Schearer Sr., presented by the Schearer family; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shoemaker, presented by the Rev. and Mrs. Harper L. Schneck and family; in memory of Elton Schollenberger, presented by wife and children.

In memory of Mrs. Ellen L. Schollenberger, presented by William B. Schollenberger and children; in memory of mother, Mrs. Annie Gougler, presented by Mrs. Eva Schollenberger; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Schollenberger.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin fronheiser and Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Smith, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Smith; in memory of Hiester S. Spacht, presented by Mrs. Virgin Spacht; in memory of Thomas Specht and Clarence Stauffer, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Specht; in memory of Thomas Specht, presented by Howard Specht family.

In memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Spohn; in memory of Hiester S. Spacht, presented by Mrs. Leonard Starr; in memory of our parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Stauffer; in memory of Rosa Frederick and Martha Underkoffler, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin D. Steltz; in memory of Joseph R. Stevens, presented by the Stevens family. In memory of Mrs. Stoudt's parents, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Warren T. Stoudt; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mrs. Laura Thomasson.

In memory of Frank C. Updegrove, presented by wife and children; in memory of daughter, Emma, presented by Mrs. Frank C. Updegrove; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wallace.

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IN MEMORY OF Mrs. John Weand, presented by husband; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weidner; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Werstler family; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wood.

In memory of J. Reuben Wren, presented by his wife, Mrs. Annie C. Wren and Sherwood; in memory of departed loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Schoenly; in memory of Samuel S. Houck, presented by Mrs. Samuel S. Houck and children; in memory of loved ones, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Schealer; in memory of my mother, presented by Jeanette Richard; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Schweinhart, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swinehart.

The Easter lilies in the Lutheran church were presented in memory of departed loved ones by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde B. Angstadt, Mrs. James Christ Sr., Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Dries, Emma N. Fritz, Mrs. Lesher Francis, James A. Fritz, Mrs. Florence Gilham, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Gresh, Mrs. Laura Grofe, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Haddad, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hollowbush, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Horn, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Nora Bahr, Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Davidheiser, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence G. Houck.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris B. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Kulp, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lukens, the Rev. and Mrs. David F. Longacre, Mrs. Viola Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moatz, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Q. Moser.

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MR. AND MRS. Kerlin Moyer, Mrs. Harry E. Reichart, Sara Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Shanely, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Schaeffer, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. John H. Waring, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl N. Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weller, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde R. Wert, Mrs. Minnie Wert, Mrs. Mary Hutt, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield West, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Wien, Mrs. Edna Zern; Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Chittick in memory of Mrs. John Chittick.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Clemmer in memory of M. Raymond Wert and Sallie Clemmer; Morris Geschwind and Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Endy in memory of Mrs. Morris M. Geschwind.

Mrs. Ella Fegley and carrie S. Lorah in memory of John Fegley; Mrs. Elsie Heins in memory of her parents; Mrs. Daniel B. Landis, Daniel Craig Landis, Donna Marie Landis, Priscilla Jane Landis in memory of Daniel B. Landis; and Mr. and Mrs. Luther H. Schmoyer in memory of Ruth Schmoyer.

Mrs. William Rose, Boyertown, a patient in the Reading hospital, is recovering nicely.

The first human being is believed to have ascended in a balloon in October 1783.

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1107 Receive Communion in Church

A record number of persons attended the concluding services in both the Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed and St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boyertown, throughout the day yesterday.

For the first time in many years, the total number of persons who partook of Holy Communion during the Easter season in the Reformed church surpassed the 1100 mark.

A total of 1107 persons took communion and according to the Rev. Harper L. Schneck, pastor of the church, this total does not include private communions which he will be giving throughout this week.

On Thursday night, the Reformed church had an attendance of 578 with 460 persons taking communion. Yesterday morning, a total of 751 persons attended the Easter service and 623 of these partook of the Holy Sacrament.

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THE CHURCH sanctuary was filled to capacity with a number of persons participating in the service in the chapel on the first floor. Another 24 persons received communion at the special shut-in service yesterday afternoon.

In the Lutheran church, the Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor, stated that 1133 persons attended the confessional and Holy Communion services beginning Thursday night when 324 Persons received Holy Communion.

Good Friday evening, 276 persons; yesterday morning, a total of 444 persons and yesterday afternoon, another 89 persons received the Holy Sacrament.

Ten Youths Receive Notices for Induction

Ten Boyertown and area youths have received notices to report at the Franklin street station, Reading, on Wednesday morning, April 15, to be sent by bus to Harrisbury for induction.

Among the local group are: Richard Landis, Boyertown; Barlyn E. Houck, New Berlinville; James J. Evans Jr., Boyertown RD 2; Leonard L. Christman, Boyertown RD 1.

Paul R. Meyer, Barto RD 1; Brinton J. Rutherford, Oley; John R. Herb, Bechtelsville; Harold K. Gehris, Boyertown RD 1; Kenneth J. Kriebel, Bally; and Charles J. Mutter, Bally.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Jones, 500 Rhoads avenue, Boyertown, have returned home after spending the Winter months in Florida.

Gilbertsville Auxiliary To Display Merchandise

The postponed meeting of the Gilbertsville Fire company Ladies' auxiliary will be held on Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock in the fire hall according to an announcement made by the president, Mrs. Eloise Schwebel.

A merchandise display will be held today from 4 to 9:30 p. m., in the fire company hall under the supervision of Mrs. Virginia Linsenbigler.

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Car Should Receive Seasonal Check by Skilled Garageman

Warm - weather driving time is here again and that calls for a mechanical check-up on your car, Mr. Motorist, by a skilled garageman.

Put your car in tune for the sunny days here and ahead. You should have these vital points checked: motor and clutch, carburetor and ignition, cooling and exhaust systems, brakes, front end and shocks, lights and safety devices, paint and hardware.

Get your entire car checked-up and tune-up — bumper to bumper, top to tires.

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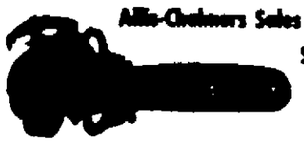
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A RECORD, TOO

Harry Moore Wins Sanatoga Feature

The feature field at Sanatoga roared through a 30-lap finale without a single halting mishap for the first time this season—and with startling results at that.

Harry Moore of Pottstown copped the event in 8:08.0 minutes for a new 30-lap mark at the George Marshman-operated one-fifth of a mile suburban Pottstown oval.

In succeeding Sam Kellar and Dick Rodenberger as the feature winner, the elder Moore proved the class of a field of 54 drivers, taking the second semifinal nod in addition to his feature win.

Brother Mose Moore ended second in the feature runoff that capped a day's card in which "a very good crowd saw some terrific action with those cars really flying." One observer rather shakily voiced, "It sorta scares ya."

Harry took the lead from Bob Levengood on the 18th lap of the feature and the latter was forced out altogether on the 25th lap when he blew a tire and hit the fence. Earlier Bill Ellis, who was then running third and looked a good bet to cop all the chips, snapped an axle, as did Jim Ryan.

The feature victor started eighth and was trailed constantly by brother Mose, who started ninth and beat Rocky Ewing across the line. Harv McDonald finished fourth ahead of Doug Allison, Stan Fink, Curt Sherman and Newt Reinert.

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ELLIS COPPED the first heat and first semifinal in warming to his threatening but short spurt in the finale. Ryan won the second heat and Levengood the fourth. Oddly enough, all the heat winners were forced out of the feature. Fink stuck in there, however, after winning the consolation.

Earl Keifreider spun out on the second turn of the third lap in the first heat to necessitate a restart in that race. Things were jumbled sufficiently to call for reruns twice in the first semifinal as five cars tangled on the fourth turn of the second lap and later Sherman, Harvey Boronsky, Red Lesher, Ryan and Ringie Lloyd piled into the already-stalled Claude Dengler.

In the second semifinal Bill Brown, Mike Knappenberger and George Gregory tangled up on the third lap and cluttered the runway up pretty well. There were many other action points, however, which failed to stop the races.

Marshman also anonunced yesterday that the famous destruction derby would return to the Sanatoga program next week. The derbies gained wide acclaim the past year for their furnishing of high-spirited ramming, double-teaming and ever-electric action to local patrons.

SUMMARY

First heat—Ellis, Dengler, M. Moore. No time.

Second heat—Ryan, M. Kellar, Lloyd. Time—3:16.7 mins.

Third heat—Ewing, Roadcap, Knappenberger. Time—3:20.2 mins.

Fourth heat—Levengood, McDonald, Batman. Time—3:17.4 mins.

First semifinal—Ellis, D. Allison, M. Moore. No time.

Second semifinal—H. Moore, Levengood, Ewing. No time.

Consolation — Fink, Rudy, Mutter. Time—3:17.8 mins.

Feature—H. Moore, M. Moore, Ewing, McDonald, D. Allison, Fink, Sherman, Reinert. Time—8:08 mins (new 30 lap record).

POTTSTOWN MERCURY

Sports

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May Leads YMCA Tourney in Every Scoring Department

Jack May of runnerup Jesse's paced the second annual YMCA Silver Medal cage tourney in every scoring phase, figures released last night by meet director Len Bernhardt revealed.

May, the erstwhile Norristown High Junior who was mentioned on the AP's second All-State team, posted 40 fieldgoals, and 23 fouls for 103 markers in four games for a 25.8 per game average. All those figures were the tourney's best.

The tournament's most outstanding player, Ermtex' Ken Miller, finished runnerup to May in two departments, bucketing 38 fielders in tallying 94 points in four tests. Miller canned 18 fouls. His 23.5 medium was third best.

Runnerup in foul conversions was Bob Bedi of URW, who canned 55 points in all to rank 10th in total points.

Claude Gross of Blocks, voted the event's top offensive player, ranked third pointwise, with 78 counters in four games for a 19.5 mark.

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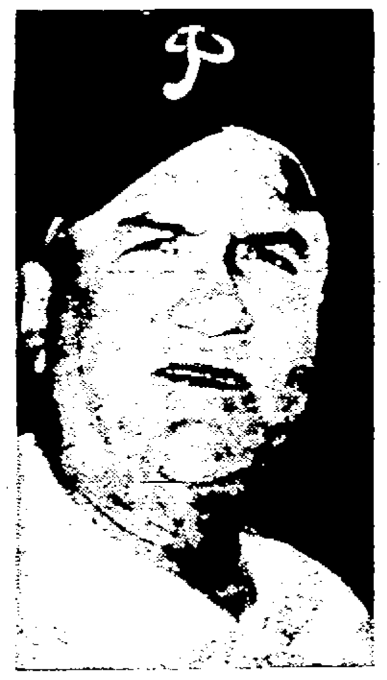
URW's Bill Baver — the leading scorer of the meet until his Rubber worker quint was eliminated in the third round, averaged 25.7 counters in three games on 77 points, canning 33 fieldgoals and 11 fouls.

In sixth was Herk Rubincam of Coatesville, voted second most outstanding in the tourney, with 62 counters in four games for a 15.5 average

TOURNAMENT SCORERS

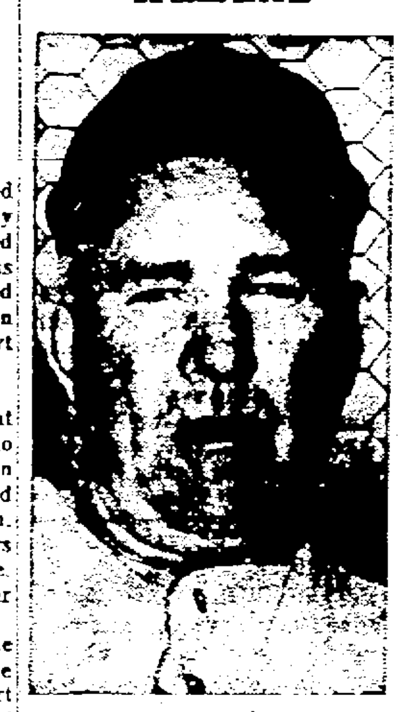
Name and team	G	FG	F	Pts.	Ave.
May, Jesse's	4	40	23	103	25.8
Miller, Ermtex	4	38	18	94	23.5
Gross, Block's	4	36	6	78	19.5
Baver, U. R. W.	3	33	11	77	25.7
Brown, Coatesville	4	31	5	67	16.8
Rubincam, Coatesv'e	4	25	10	62	15.5
Anderson, Coatesv'e	3	24	11	59	19.7
Maguire, Blocks	4	20	16	56	14.0
Munch, W. Chester	2	26	4	56	28.0
Bedi, U. R. W.	3	17	21	55	18.3
Ricketts, Zebras	2	18	17	53	26.5
Hewson, Blocks	2	22	7	51	12.5
Bodolus, Underdogs	2	19	10	48	24.0
Smith, Jesse's	4	17	14	48	12.0
Bugg, Jesse's	4	17	13	47	11.6
Coughlin, Jesse's	4	20	7	47	11.8
O'Leary, Coatesville	4	21	5	47	11.8
Anderson, U. R. W.	3	13	19	45	15.0
Jaros, Coatesville	4	14	13	41	10.2
Swavze, Blocks	4	17	6	40	10.0

Marty Marion
St. Louis Browns



Steve O'Neill
Philadelphia Phils

Charlie Grimm
Milwaukee Braves



Rogers Hornsby
Cincinnati Reds

Fred Haney
Pittsburgh Pirates

Fred Hutchinson
Detroit Tigers

MANAGERIAL CHANGES PUT THEM IN MAJOR JOBS—Shake-up in mangerial leaders since the start of the 1952 season involved six clubs. Charlie Grimm replaced Tommy Holmes of Braves; Roger Hornsby, who started 1952 as the Brownie boss, switched during the season to the Reds, replacing Luke Sewell. Fred Haney took Bill Meyer's job with the Pirates, when Hornsby was fired and Steve O'Neill supplainted Eddie Sawyer with Phils.

McCabe Schedules Intrasquad Play Today and Tomorrow To Arrive at Starting Five for Wednesday's Opener

Pottstown High's annual pre-season golf playoffs aimed at selecting a first contingent of five within two days start today at the Brookside country club, coach Bill McCabe announced last night.

A series of nine-hole matches involving foursome picked at random will be played through this morning, this afternoon and all day tomorrow by way of arriving at a first quintet to oppose Wilson High Wednesday in the Trojans' opener at BBC.

Jack Bechtel, Len Levin and Mary Jo Czarick — all returnees from the past year's squad and all in different foursomes this morning — will likely round out the first three starting positions for PHS' links debut of '53. It's selecting the remaining two positions that is the prime objective.

"Break a hundred and you're on the team," said McCabe last night in the hope of finding five club wielders who could crack the century figure added that the greater part of the two days' play would be aimed at finding out who's who in the less experienced players.

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THE PAIRINGS for this morning have Bechtel, Buffy Schoenly and Bob Drumhelier teeing off in a shorthanded quarter at 9:15 a. m., followed by Dick Smale, Jay Kugler, Bill Brown and Levin at 9:35. Paul Stofko, Larry Lerch, Miss Czarick and Joyce Haury will start at 9:40.

Wilson is perenially a strong team and is entered in the rugged Central Penn conference in golf.

Pitcher Warren Hacker of the Chicago Cubs had a 2.58 earned run average in 1952. It was the best posted by a Cub pitcher since Hank Borowy's 2.14 in 1945.

Barber Cops Azalea Open

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 5 (AP)—Little Jerry Barber, one of professional golf's "mighty mites," crashed through to his first major tournament victory today, coming in with a four under par 68 to win the $10,000 Azalea Open by one stroke with a 276 total. Barber's rounds of 71-65-72-68 left him 12 under par for four rounds and earned him top money of $2000. Tied for second at 277 were Johnny Palmer, Charlotte, N. C.; Doug Ford, Harrison, N. Y., and Ted Kroil, New Hartford, N. Y.

A newcomer to Southern Conference track circles is Duke University's Durham Lawshe, a shot putter. In a recent invitational meet, the transfer student from Dartmouth hurled the 18-pound ball 48 feet, 10 inches.

Charity Meeting

PHILADELPHIA, April 5 (AP)—The Philadelphia Eagles will clash with the National league champion Detroit Tigers in the 16th annual Philadelphia Inquirer charities football game at Municipal Stadium on Thursday night, Sept. 17. The two NFL clubs do not meet in regular league play next season.

Area High School Baseball Loops Inaugurate Flag Chases This Week

Schoolboy baseball kicks off its rubbers with a bit of optimistic abandon this week as the high school diamond circuits in the area get their 1953 pennant chases under way.

Practice sessions for the most part had been slowed down to nearly a standstill until the past week when clear skies in the early part allowed most area nines to get a look at their prospects under the sun's illuminating rays. Rain again Wednesday rained out the Boyertown-Birdsboro opener, however, and left three teams in the vicinity as the lone ones to have been under fire.

Spring City shuttled back and forth over and under its head on successive dates, bowing to Pottstown, 11-0, on Mike Kriczky's three-hitter Monday, and then submerging Upper Merion, 11-4, the next.

Upper Perkiomen stopped visiting Quakertown, 4-3, in eight frames in the former's maiden voyage for the year, the past Wednesday in the last local ball game that rated any advance billing to actually become a reality. The Bear-Birds test was moved back to this Friday.

PHS coach Ed Good announced last night that the Trojan 'A' squad would have batting practice at 10:30 a. m., today on Franklin field. The entire squad will drill at 1 p. m.

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THE PERKIOMEN - Schuylkill Valley HS circuit draws the veil tomorrow afternoon with a four-game schedule in which two favorites oppose two darkhorses as the featured tilts.

Upper Perk and Boyertown go on the road to West Pottsgrove and Collegeville, respectively, in the day's top attractions. Royersford — the defending kingpins — hosts Norco and Schwenksville visits Spring City in the day's other contests.

The Boyers ramshackled Pottstown, 7-0, in a scrimmage contest a little over a week ago to give localites a look at Bear capabilities and also Trojan faults when Kriczky isn't on the hill.

'Ford hopes for a repeat, already slashed by the loss of six regulars from the past year's crown-winning front line, were crunched all the more the past week when defending league sock champ Bob Quinn came up with an injured knee.

Collegeville, which hosts the Bears, ranks the darkhorse choice in the circuit with an entire infield returning in all its hustling stubbiness.

West Pottsgrove also has an infield of note but like the Cols needs outfield punch badly.

The Trojans open Ches-Mont warfare in quest of their 20th consecutive victory Thursday, with Phoenixville coming to Franklin field for a 3:30 p. m. encounter.

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THE PHANTS tied Upper Merion, 4-4, in their lone outing to date, which might lead one to believe that batting power isn't one of Phoenixville's strong points this year.

Coach Heber Meyers' PHS track enthusiasts hop onto the Franklin field scene a day earlier than Ed Good's baseballers, though, opening their spike season this Wednesday against Shillington, here.

The Trojan tracksters entertain Downingtown at home Friday of this week, and engage Boyertown and Muhlenberg in the annual triangular affair next Monday, also at Franklin field.

NOW BOSOX COACH — Ex-Detroit pilot, Del Baker (above), has signed as a Boston Red Sox coach, replacing Earl Combs, resigned.

Former Ace Giants Pitcher Enrique Luque Taught Cards' Ed Yuhas the Pitch He Credits to Star Hurling Role

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—If the St. Louis Cardinals beat out the New York Giants in the National League pennant race this season much of the credit could go to Adolfo Luque, the Cuban who saved the 1933 World Series for the Giants.

It was Luque who showed Ed Yuhas, ace Cardinal relief hurler, how to hold and how to throw a screwball, a pitch that has helped keep the 29-year old rookie unbeaten since last June.

Yuhas started only twice last season, beating Pittsburgh and suffering a first inning blasting by the Braves. Then Manager Eddie Stanky put him on relief. He won 10 straight to finish with a 12-2 record and a 2.73 earned run mark. More impressive, he went through his last 51 relief assignments without losing.

The slightly-built resident of Winston-Salem, N. C., by way of Youngstown, O., was to the Cards what Joe Black was to the Dodgers and Hoyt Wilhelm to the Giants, rookies with a knack for pitching out of tight spots.

"I guess Stanky was looking for a low ball pitcher," says Yuhas. "That's a big thing in relief pitching. The big change in me came whmen I began getting my breaking stuff over. At first I couldn't get my curve ball over and I had nothing to go with my fast ball.

"Two years ago I came up with a screwball and it started working real good last year. I learned how to throw my screwball from Adolf Luque in the Winter of 1951 when I played for his Marianao team in the Cuban Winter League. He showed me how to hold it."

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LUQUE was a great pitcher in his day. He broke in with Boston in 1914. In 1923 he won 27 games for Cincinnati. His fame, however, came in the twilight of his career in the early '30s with the Giants. In 1933, at the age of 43, he relieved Hal Schumacher with two men on base in the sixth inning of the fifth and final game of the World Series. The Giant won, 4-3, in 10 innings to beat Joe Cronin's Senators.

"I give Luque all the credit possible," says Yuhas. "I had always been a starter in the minors, always pitching more than 150 innings a season. Last year I worked 99 innings and Luque's screwball helped alot."

Yuhas averaged four bases on balls a game with Rochester in 1950 and 1951 but lack of control failed to faze him. He still put stuff on the ball. The fact that it took him a few years to deliver is nothing compared to how long he waited before he got to play in organized ball.

"I signed with the Cardinal organization in 1942," says Yuhas, "but didn't get to pitch until 1947 after three years in the Army."

He saw action in Germany and France with the 45th Infantry and has three battle stars.

Now, after a brilliant rookie season, for which he received a bonus and a new contract, almost doubling his 1952 earnings, Yuhas is being regarded as a possible 20-game winner—and all in relief.

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ONWARD—AND UPWARD(?) By Alan Maver

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MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 5 (AP)—Little Bobby Shantz pitched seven innings and Gus Zernial banged his sixth homer of the grapefruit season as the Philadelphia Athletics downed Montgomery's Sally league Grays 13-5 today.

The little southpaw's teammates gave him a lead as they pounded out three runs in the first inning.

Zernial got his four-bagger in the fifth when he lifted one over the left field scoreboard with two on.

Shantz, a 4-3 victor over the Cincinnati Reds in his last outing, turned the pitching chores over to another southpaw, Dick Rozek.

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 5 (AP)—Southpaw Curt Simmons and right-hander Robin Roberts teamed up to hurl the Philadelphia Phillies to a 14-3 victory over the Birmingham Barons in an exhibition game today.

Simmons hurled for the first eight innings and was nicked for one run. Roberts took over in the ninth and was promptly tagged for the other two.

The game's lone home run was smacked by Smokey Burgess. He connected with one in the fourth inning with two men on base.

Outfielder Del Ennis was hit by a pitched ball in the first inning but wasn't hurt.

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AUSTIN, Texas, April 5 (AP)—Second baseman Davey Williams lined out five straight singles to pace the New York Giants to a 7-2 victory over the Cleveland Indians here today.

The Giants collected a total of 16 hits off the combined offerings of Bob Feller, Bob Chakales and Lou Brissie. Feller, yielding ten hits and five runs, worked the first seven innings and was charged with the defeat.

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NASHVILLE, April 5 (AP)—Young Dick Williams, playing first base with a heavily strapped leg injury, hit a two-run double in the sixth inning to give the Brooklyn Dodgers a 3-1 triumph over the Milwaukee Braves today.

Williams, unable to play the outfield because he hasn't recovered from a shoulder separation suffered last August, drove the ball into the overflow crowd of 11,989 following a safe bunt by Jackie Robinson and error by John Logan on Carl Furillo's grounder.

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NEW ORLEANS, April 5 (AP)—Howie Pollet and Murry Dickson combined to pitch a four-hitter against the New Orleans team of the Southern association today and give the Pittsburgh Pirates a 5-1 exhibition victory.

Pollet, who pitched the first five innings for two hits and no runs, got credit for the win.

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CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 5 (AP)—Clarence Podbielan went the distance for Cincinnati today and his overhand fast ball clicked for a 6-2 exhibition victory over the Washington Senators.

The lanky ex-Brooklyn right-hander would have had a shutout but for errors by outfielder Jim Greengrass and catcher Hank Foiles that helped the Nationals pick up a couple of unearned runs. He struck out seven batters, walked two and gave up seven hits, two of them doubles.

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SAN ANTONIO, April 6 (AP)—Dee Fondy hit two of six home runs here today to lead the Chicago Cubs to a 9-8 slugfest victory over the St. Louis Browns.

Manager Marty Marion lost the services of catcher Clint Courtney, possibly for the season's opener against Detroit here April 14, when the middle finger of his throwing hand was fractured by a foul ball. He will be sidelined ten days or two weeks.

Veteran Virgil Trucks, trying to go the route for the Browns, retired after Fondy's first home run in the sixth inning. Fondy drove in five runs during the game.

Randy Jackson also hit a home run for the Cubs while Roy Sievers, Jim Dyck and Johnny Groth hit home runs for the Browns.

Dick Littlefield was the losing pitcher for the Browns. Bob Kelly won in relief of starter Bob Rush for the Cubs.

Courtney's injury put him out of action for the third time in Spring training.

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ATLANTA, April 5 (AP)—The Atlanta Crackers nipped the New York Yankees in the ninth inning today, a hit batsman and two singles settling a 4-3 game in favor of the Southern association club.

Johnny Schmitz, veteran left-hander, was the losing pitcher. Art Fowler, a righthander, went the distance for the winners.

Whitey Ford, Yankee left-hander, went seven innings, allowed seven hits, walked four and made three wild pitches. He was supposed to go the distance but ran out of gas. Tom Gorman worked the eighth and Schmitz retired only one batter in the ninth before the winning rally developed.

Earl Wooten, veteran Cracker outfielder, was hit with a pitched ball in the final frame and moved to second on Charley Williams' in field single. Bud Pfeiffer, who had fanned three times, then bounced a hard single down the right field line and Wooten crossed the plate.

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DALLAS, April 5 (AP)—The Chicago White Sox, paced by Jim Rivera's cluster of four hits, defeated the Texas league Dallas Eagles 4 to 1 today before 3979 fans.

Mike Fornieles, the Sox' 21 year old Cuban right hander, pitched five innings for the victors and gave up only one hit. Gene Bearden finished and allowed three safeties.

The win made it 16 out of 30 for the White Sox regulars in exhibition play, but against major league competition the Chicagoans are below the 50-50 mark with 10-12.

The Sox nailed Jim Suchecki for three hits and two runs in the first inning. The winners' two other runs were off Bill Lenihan.

Vern Stephens, the Chicagoans' prospective cleanup batter, got one safety—a fluke double—in four attempts. Yesterday he was blanked in five appearances.

It's Willie Troy and Randy Sandy Friday Instead of Joe and Rocky

NEW YORK, April 5 (AP)—Boxing telefans will have to take Willie Troy and Randy Sandy this Friday night instead of Rocky Marciano and Jersey Joe Walcott.

The two young Negro middleweights originally were scheduled to meet in a return bout on April 17 but their ten-rounder was moved up a week to fill in the radio-television hole left by the postponement of the heavyweight title fight.

Troy, of Washington, D. C., stopped Sandy, of New York, in the ninth round in their first fight last September. Willie was unbeaten at the time. Since then he has suffered his first pro defeat, an eighth round TKO by Holly Mims in Washington a month ago. Sandy's only defeat in 11 pro fights was to Troy.

Their 10 p. m., EST bout will be broadcast by ABC and telecast by NBC. Troy is a 11 to 5 favorite.

The best fight of the week, however, won't be seen or heard via the networks. This is a ten round all-Philadelphia scrap in the Quaker city between welterweight contender Gil Turner and Joey Giardello, the No. 6 middleweight. Turner is a 3 to 1 choice to beat the big man. Gil is expected to spot Giardello about four pounds, 149 to 153.

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RANKING featherweights will be on display for TV fans on Monday and Wednesday.

Gene Smith of Washington, D. C., and Corky Gonzales of Denver collide in the top ten at Brooklyn's Eastern Parkway arena Monday night. Their 10 p. m., EST, scrap will be telecast by Dumont. Smith is an 11 to 5 choice to beat Corky again. He stopped him in three a year ago.

Cliff Chambers, letthanded hurler for the St. Louis Cardinals, is a graduate of Washington State University.

Leon Brinkopf, rookie outfielder with the Chicago Cubs, is a graduate of Southeast Missouri State College.

ADDED ATTRACTION — An added attraction for the $35,000 "Tournament of Champions" golf event to be staged in Las Vegas, Nev., April 20-26, is this comely caddy, Marian Collier, who will act in an honorary capacity. The event is for golfers who have won a major tourney during the year.

Chicago's Mayor Likes Cops to Be 'Playmates'

CHICAGO, April 5 (AP)—Policeman Harold Berglund, 47, has been worried about what Mayor Martin H. Kennelly must think of him.

The only three times the mayor has observed Berglund on duty the policeman was (1) teaching a youngster to spin a top, (2) teaching three small boys to salute, and (3) riding a youngster's bike he had just repaired.

Berglund's worries were detailed in a Chicago Tribune story.

Today, the policeman learned that Kennelly had read the item, chuckled and commented, "We need more cops like that."

AAU CHAMP—Winner of the eastern and national collegiate 1500-meter free style swim crowns, Jimmy McLane, Akron, O., copped the National AAU crown in the swim meet at New Haven, Conn. McLane is a senior at Yale.

Panthers Start

PITTSBURGH, April 5 (AP)—Spring football practice gets underway for the University of Pittsburgh on Tuesday. Coach Lowell (Red) Dawson, who lost eight seniors by graduation, expects to greet 60 candidates. Sessions will continue for 20 days.

Connie Gravitte, University of North Carolina sophomore halfback, didn't pass often but when he did he made them count. He tossed three aerials last season and two were for touchdowns.

Third baseman Alton Miller, rookie of the year in the Pony League in 1952, was employed as a meat packer in his home town of Oklahoma City during the Winter months.

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1	Anne Lee Anne Lee Ruth Welles News	Road of Life Ma Perkins Dr Malone Guiding Light	Mr Lucky Mary Jones	happiness Keys Mary Brooks Show Mac McGuire
2	Jack Pyle	Perry Mason Nora Drake Brighter Day	This the Years What's News Bandstand	Jack Creamer The Ghost News
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Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6	News Weather News Inside Angle 3 Star Extra	News Aunt Jemima Sports Lowell Thomas	Lee Stewart Sugin Sam Tom Moorhead	News Frankly Speaking Sports News Sullivan Comments
7	Symphonette News One Man's Family	Be Idab Junior Miss Jo Stafford Edw R Murrow	Stars At Seven Elmer Davis Lone Ranger Cowboy Drama	Fulton Lewis Jr News Gabriel Heatter Your Garden
8	Music Howard Barlow	Suspense Arthur Godfrey's Talent Scouts	Henry J Taylor Phila Story Promenade Symphony	The Falcon Music In Mind
9	Music Band of America	Theater Freedom Sings	Promenade Symphony	Reporters Roundup On and Off Record
10	Dinah Shore Words To Night News Dave Garroway	Bob Hawk Starlight Salute	News Music Vigil Pioneer Music You Want	Frank Edwards Paul Sullivan Hall of Fame
11	News Sports Hal Moore Show	News Ambassadors Concert Hall	Bob Horn Bandstand	Cincinnati Dance
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Time	Channel No	Program	Time	Channel No	Program
1:00 P M	3	Hollywood Playhouse	6:00 P M	6	Sports
1:00 P M	10	Song and Sing	7:00 P M	10	Superman
1:30 P M	10	Early Movie	7:00 P M	3	Reporter
1:00 P M	3	Patti Page and Personalities	7:15 P M	6	Newsreel
2:00 P M	10	Double or Nothing	7:30 P M	3	Three Two
2:15 P M	6	Women's Page	7:30 P M	6	Hollywood Screen Test
2:30 P M	3	Cincin Clinic	7:30 P M	10	News
2:30 P M	10	Liebhitter's House Party	7:45 P M	3	News
2:45 P M	6	Bandstand	7:45 P M	10	Party Game Show
3:00 P M	3	Break the Band	8:00 P M	3	Paul Winchell Jerry Mahoney
3:30 P M	3	Welcome Travelers	8:00 P M	6	Inspector Mark Saber
3:30 P M	10	Action In the Afternoon	8:00 P M	10	Bucks and Alice
4:00 P M	3	Kate Smith Show	8:30 P M	3	Concert
4:00 P M	10	Action In the Afternoon	8:30 P M	6	Opera
4:45 P M	6	Ranger of the Jungle	8:30 P M	10	Arthur Godfrey
5:00 P M	10	Junior Hi Jinx	9:00 P M	3	Eye Witness
5:00 P M	3	Hopkins Falls	9:00 P M	10	I Love Lucy
5:00 P M	6	Movie Matinee	9:30 P M	3	Robert Montgomery Presents
5:15 P M	3	Gabby Hayes	9:30 P M	6	Talent Patrol
5:30 P M	3	Howdy Doody	9:30 P M	10	Fred Buttons
5:30 P M	10	Today's Movie	10:00 P M	10	Studio One
6:00 P M	3	Frontier Playhouse	10:00 P M	3	Who Said That
6:00 P M	6	Ranger of the Jungle	11:00 P M	6	News Weather
6:45 P M	10	News	11:00 P M	10	News Sports
6:45 P M	3	Movie Quick Quiz	11:15 P M	6	What's Your Trouble

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Sinclair Lewis

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"Daddy," asked Junior, "which go faster, horses or busses?" "Busses of course," answered Dad. "Well then why don't you bet on busses?" queried J.

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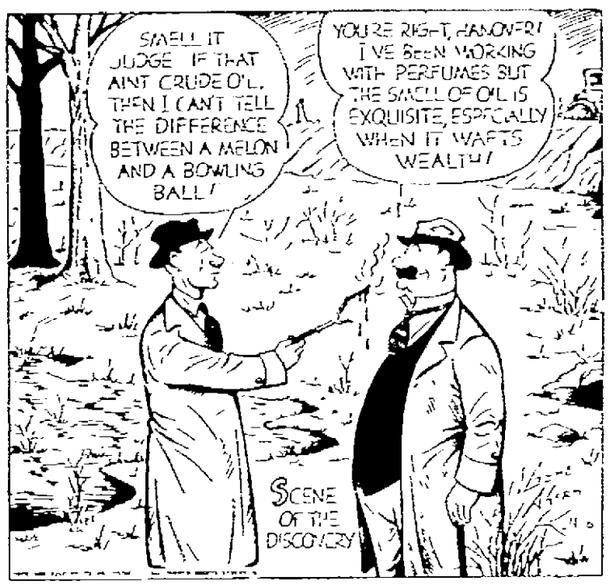

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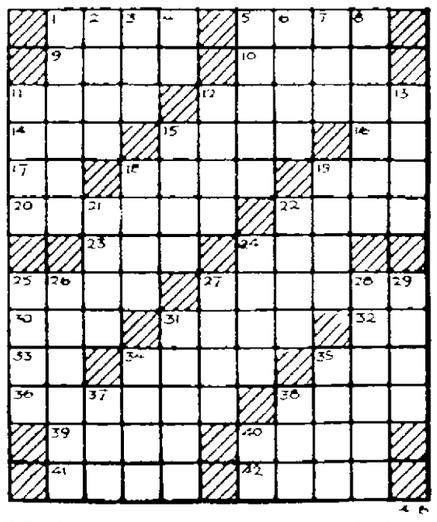
ACROSS

1 Fellow
5 Russian river
9 Contest of speed
10 Affirm
11 Penny
12 Kind of piano
14 Strange
15 Nose
16 Negative reply
17 Music note
18 Skillful
19 Kind of cap
20 Road
22 Sagacious
23 Ever (poet.)
24 Simpleton
25 Edible mollusk
27 Feel pain
30 Male sheep
31 Great number of things
32 Excla mation
33 Aloft
34 Source
35 Mature
36 Face at full speed
38 City in Russia
39 Comfort
40 Factor
41 Colors, as cloth
42 Cereal grains

DOWN

1 Believe
2 Apex foot
3 Perform
4 Hebrew letter
5 Pained (slang)
6 Greedy
7 Male adults
8 Spheres of action
11 Lights beds eads
12 Not hard
13 Large volume
15 Look askance
18 Suppose
19 Little quarrel
21 Quantity of paper
22 To float
24 Eject
25 The shank (anat.)
26 Licked up
27 Chimney dirt
28 Birds of prey
29 Ostrich like bird
31 Sharpens a razor
34 Ascend
35 A relative
37 Beam
38 Beverage
40 Depart

Saturday's Answer



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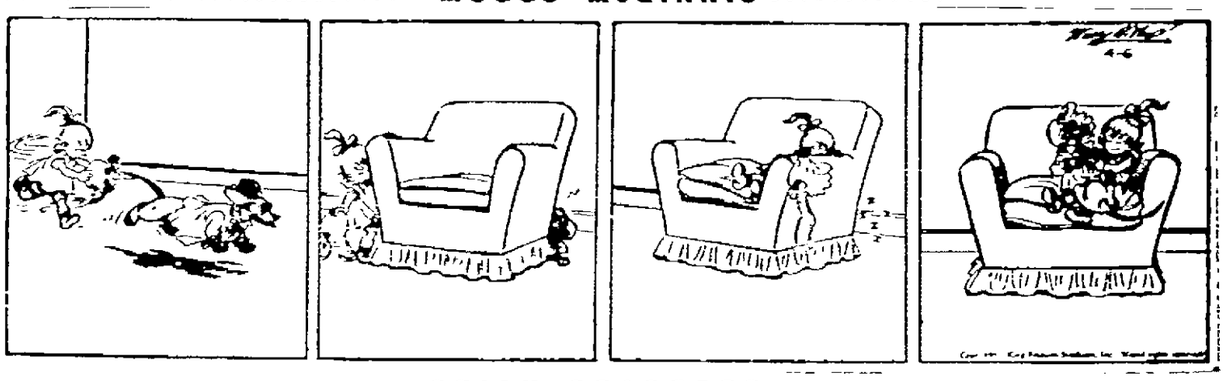

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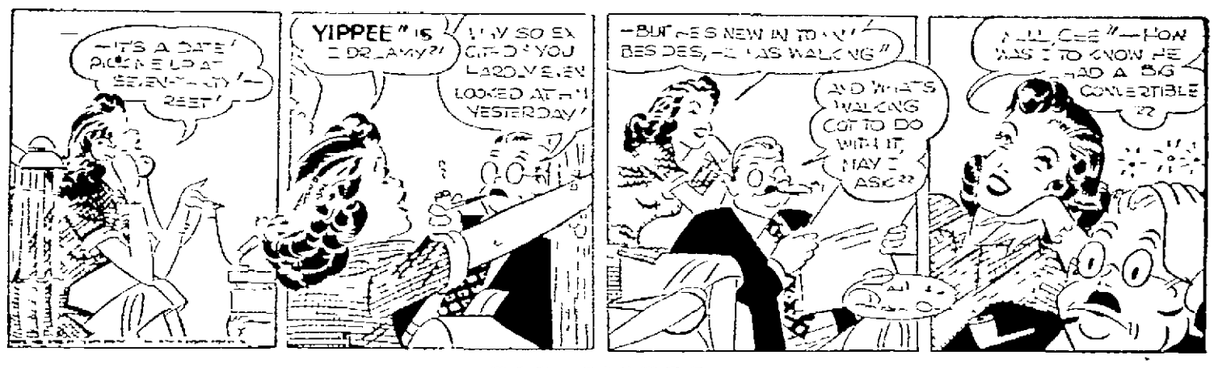

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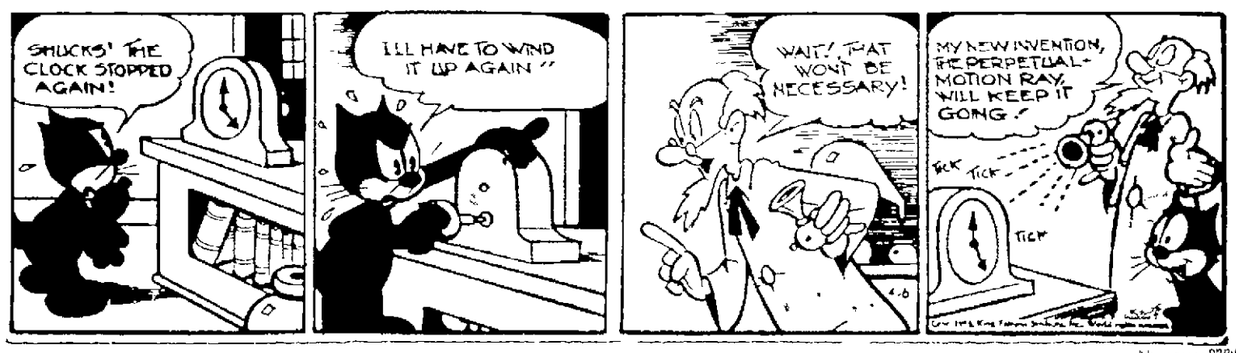

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths 1

HARTLEY—On Saturday, April 4, 1953, Albert Dempsey Hartley, husband of Ella (Eisenberg) Hartley, aged 85 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the White Memorial Home, Parkerford on Wednesday, April 8, at 2 p. m. Interment in Fernwood cemetery, Boyersford. Friends may call at the Memorial Home on Tuesday evening, 7 to 8:30. (White)

HOFFMAN—On Thursday, April 2, 1953, Howard W. R. Hoffman, son of Elsie (Weiss) and the late Henry Hoffman, age 62 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Harley Funeral Home, 401 High St., on Monday, April 6, 1953 at 2 p. m. Interment in the West End of Pottstown cemetery. Friends may call Sunday evening at the Harley Funeral Home, 7 - 8:30. (Harley)

REITNAUER—On Thursday, April 2, 1953, William T., husband of Eva (Pram) Reitnauer, aged 60 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St. on Tuesday, April 7, at 2 p. m. Interment in Highland Memorial Park. Friends may call at the funeral home on Monday evening, 7 to 9. (Houck)

SCHUTT—On Tuesday, March 31, 1953 Agnes (Chifferti), widow of Russell Schutt, aged 75 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Fleischmann Funeral Home, 256 Beech St. on Monday, April 6 at 8:30 a. m. A Requiem Mass will be celebrated in St. Aloysius Catholic church at 9 a. m. Interment in St. Aloysius New cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Sunday evening, 7 to 9. (Fleischmann)

BATZEL—On Saturday, April 4, 1953, Helen M., wife of William Batzel, Green Lane, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services in the Whitemarsh Memorial Park Chapel on Wednesday, April 8, at 2 p. m. Interment in adjoining cemetery. Friends may call on Tuesday evening at the Benner Funeral Home, Red Hill. (Benner)

SAYLOR—In Wildwood, N. J. On Saturday, April 4, 1953, Dora B. (Gerhard), wife of the late Henry D. Saylor, aged 85 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Houck Funeral Home, 112 N. Washington St. on Wednesday, April 8, at 2 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. No viewing. (Houck)

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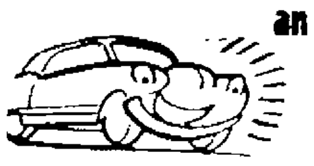
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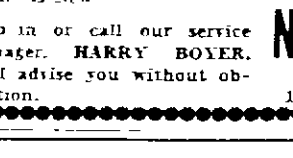
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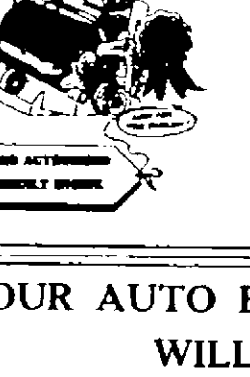

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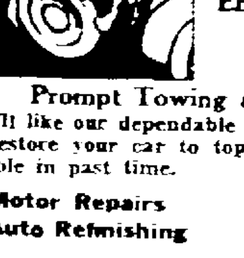
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Mrs. Mary M. Wanner is the teacher for the above First and Second grade classes at Upper Pottsgrove school. Boys and girls in the first row (from the left) are Gerald Lupold, Judy Herrlinger, Patricia Ludy, Harry Overholtzer, Carol Dunlap, Toni Sieber, Marguerite Seyler, Marilyn Shaner, Diana Bealer, Bonita Smith and Elizabeth Maylath. In the second row (same order) are Barry Templin, David Boyer, Eric Meeker, Gloria Wharton, Dianne Heebner, Clifford Bealer, Sonya Markavevitz, Jane Gross, Dorothy Maylath and Herbert Geiser Jr. From the left in the third row are Warren Willauer, Linda Heil, Ruth Rick, Shirley Baker, David Pursel, Joseph Tillger and Ruth Breitschwerdt. In the last row (from the left) are Dennis Foly, Thomas Brant, John Fetterolf and Nancy Schaeffer. Donnell Decker was absent when the picture was taken.

NEW LEADERS ARE PICKED FOR RED HILL SCOUTS

Newly Organized Troop Meets Tonight in Scout Cabin For First Time

RED HILL—Mrs. Calvin Reed, corr. Phone Pennsburg 2281. Dale Miller, del. Phone Pennsburg 4673.

At a meeting of Red Hill Boy Scout troop committee, James Steinman was elected Scoutmaster; Leroy Brey and Henry Bardman as assistant scoutmasters. The initial meeting of the newly-organized Red Hill troop will be at the scout cabin tonight at 7 p. m.

All Red Hill boys 11 through 13 years are invited to join the group, announced Paul Gebert, chairman of the troop committee.

Those that made the trip by chartered bus to New York for the Easter Pageant were: Mrs. Charles Moll, Mrs. Bertha Gerhart, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Gerhart and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schantz.

Mrs. Wilmer Kline and daughter, Sandra, Emmaus, called on Mrs. Ernest Brendlinger, Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Styer and daughter, Bonnie, North Main street, moved to a Wallace Roth apartment, Main street, formerly occupied by Mrs. Annie Moyer.

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MR. AND MRS. LESLIE BURKHOLDER and son, Boyertown, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burkholder, Main street, called on Mr. and Mrs. Allison Hallman, Tamaqua.

Mr. and Mrs. William Saylor, Pottstown, called on Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Schwenk, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Derr and family, Rally; Verna Albitz, East Greenville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Millegass, Washington street, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Albitz and Naomi Reiter, North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Albitz and son, John, and Naomi Reiter called on Mrs. Pearl Moyer in Hamburg.

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EASTER GIFTS for children of St. Paul's cradle roll were distributed during the week by the members of the cradle roll committee.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Calvin Reed, Main street, celebrated their 24th wedding anniversary.

CHOSEN FOR POST

ANNVILLE, April 5 (AP) — Dr. Elmer C. Herber, a Dickinson college professor for almost a quarter of century, is the new president of the Pennsylvania Academy of Science.

Oil Stove Blast Kills Mother, 4 Children

UNIONTOWN, Pa., April 5 (AP) — An oil stove explosion in a duplex mine dwelling at nearby Edinborn today killed a 35-year old mother and four of her children.

The father rescued five other children with the help of a neighbor. All those saved suffered burns.

Killed in the blast were Mrs. Ruth Johnson, a month-old daughter, Rebecca, Carolyn, 13; Robert, 3, and Catherine, 5.

Carter Johnson, 46, the father, suffered severe burns and shock. He passed the other five children—Mary, 9; Carter Jr., 6; Patty, 7; Linda, 2, and Charlotte, 11 out of a second story window to a neighbor, Smiley Gregg.

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FIRE FOLLOWED the explosion in the five-room frame dwelling. Mary Phyall, who lived in the other part of the duplex, escaped unhurt.

She said:

"I heard the mother screaming 'Save my babies, save my babies.' I looked out the window and saw the house on fire."

RUSS TO HELP INDIA

NEW DELHI, India, April 5 (AP)—A Russian technical mission arrived in Kabul today to help the Afghan government build scientific storage facilities to preserve wheat, an India government radio news bulletin said tonight.

Irish Festival Begins Too Soon With a Riot

DUBLIN, Ireland, April 5 (AP)—An Irish festival opened with an informal bang early today 12 hours before it was supposed to. Twelve persons were arrested, four were attended for head injuries at the Jervis street hospital, and police called it a minor riot.

Authorities were mystified as to what perverse impulse caused a crowd of about 3000 to throw bottles, rocks and flower pots near the O'Connel street bridge shortly after midnight.

But such substantial confetti was in fact tossed about that several shop windows were smashed, automobiles were pelted and decorations on historic monuments were torn down. About 40 police had to charge with batons to clear the crowd out of O'Connel street.

The festival known as "Tostal," meaning approximately "Ireland at home," was opened later with a military parade, and no other untoward incident.

Wounded Police Chief Dies From Bullet Battle

NEW KENSINGTON, April 5 (AP) — Michael Peltz, 48, police chief of nearby Arnold, died yesterday of bullet wounds suffered in a gun battle with a crazed millworker who killed another officer before he himself was blasted to death with a sub-machine gun.

Sgt. Ernest Johnson, 48, was shot to death Thursday in the battle with Virgil Backus. Two other officers wounded by bullets from Backus' 30-30 rifle are in fair condition. They are Patrolmen Edward Bollinger and Michael Barto.

The gun battle broke out after Patrolman Barto went to the Backus home to investigate reports Backus was threatening his wife and six children. Before dying, Backus told a priest he was a sick man and "really sorry" for what he had done.

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